

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

OF THE

TOWN OF MILFORD,

CONTAINING REPORTS OF THE

Selectmen, Assessors, Collector of Taxes, Treasurer,
Board of Health, Engineers, Overseers of the Poor,
Trustees of Town Library, Trustees of Vernon
Grove Cemetery, Park Commissioners, Town
Clerk, Auditor, Chief of Police, Sealer of
Weights and Measures, Town Solicitor,
Sewer Commissioners, Inspector of
Wires, School Committee, and
Superintendent of Schools,

FOR THE

Year Ending December 31, 1925.

MILFORD, MASS.:

G. M. BILLINGS, PRINTER, GAZETTE OFFICE.

1925.

TOWN OFFICERS.

SELECTMEN.

Philip Cenedella, Chairman.

Thomas F. Malloy, John E. Higgiston.

TOWN CLERK. CLERK OF SELECTMEN.

Dennis J. Sullivan.

TOWN TREASURER.

George A. Barry.

TAX COLLECTOR

Matthew J. Carbary.

HIGHWAY SURVEYOR.

Edward C. Beaulac.

AUDITOR.

Joseph V. Carey.

ASSESSORS.

Frederick W. Holland, Clerk, Term expires 1926,

William F. Clancy, Chairman, Term expires 1927,

Frederick A. Nealon, Term expires 1928.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

George E. Stacy, Chairman, Term expires 1928,

John V. Gallagher, Term expires 1926,

Herbert W. Shaw, Term expires 1926,

John C. Lynch, Term expires 1927,

John E. Swift, Term expires 1927,

Alfred B. Cenedella, Term expires 1928.

OVERSEERS OF POOR.

Michael B. Sweeney, Chairman, Term expires, 1928.

Fred J. Coleman, Term expires 1926,

Fred M. Crowell, Term expires 1927,

BOARD OF HEALTH

Maurice J. Quinlan, Chairman, Term expires 1928.

Oscar C. Ayotte, Term expires 1926,

Francis H. Lally, M. D., Secretary, Term expires 1927,

SEWER COMMISSIONERS.

Frank P. Dillon, Chairman, Term expires 1928.

Louis P. Pratt, Term expires 1926,

Alfred F. Martin, Term expires 1927,

TRUSTEES PUBLIC LIBRARY.

George W. Wood, Chairman, Term expires 1928,

Thomas J. Nugent, Term expires 1926,

Thomas J. Quirk, Term expires 1926,

* Nathaniel F. Blake,

† Charles A. Blaisdell, Term expires 1926.

Nathan W. Heath, Term expires 1927,

Stephen H. Reynolds, Term expires 1928

TRUSTEES VERNON GROVE CEMETERY.

Herbert S. Eldredge, Term expires 1926,

Arthur L. Maynard, Term expires 1926,

Harry E. Hunt, Term expires 1927,

Frank E. Cheney, Term expires 1927,

William S. Marden, Term expires 1928,

William Emery, Term expires 1928.

PARK COMMISSIONERS.

Fred W. Fitzsimmons, Term expires 1926,

Frank E. Norcross, Term expires 1927,

Martin J. Wallace, Term expires 1928.

CONSTABLES.

John J. Moloney, James J. Birmingham, Charles Caruso,

James J. Fullum, John C. Wilson.

TREE WARDEN.

Patrick F. Fitzgerald.

*Deceased.

†Elected to fill vacancy.

PLANNING BOARD.

Arthur Webb, Term expires 1926,
 John C. Lynch, Term expires 1927,
 Frank E. Norcross, Term expires 1928.

Officers Appointed by the Selectmen.

TOWN SOLICITOR.

Chester F. Williams.

ENGINEERS OF FIRE DEPARTMENT.

John H. Egan, Chief,
 Pio Guglielmi, Clerk, Ernest O. Rose.

INSPECTOR OF WIRES.

Fred M. Daniels.

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS.

George W. Billings, Chairman,
 L. Blaine Libbey, Edward J. Burke,
 Dennis J. Sullivan, Ex Officio.

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

Daniel M. O'Brien.

PUBLIC WEIGHERS AND WEIGHERS OF COAL.

Edgar E. Colburn,	Lewis F. Aldrich,
Benjamin Vitalini,	Batista J. Vitalini,
Elmer I. Goddard,	Harold Shaughnessy,
Philip P. Clarke,	Helen E. Morgan,
Harold M. Curtiss,	Grace Doherty,
Martha D. Lester,	James B. Lester,
Daniel M. O'Brien,	Dorothy E. Cote,
Norman Bell,	William St. George,
R. Carl Sweet,	Joseph F. Usher,
	Fred J. Doherty.

PUBLIC WEIGHERS.

Harry A. Macuen,	Randall B. Greene,
John Morey,	Antonio Cutropia,
Myron Morey,	Carlo Feccia,
Ada B. Daniels,	George A. Moore.

MEASURERS OF WOOD AND BARK.

Benjamin Vitalini,	William N. Prentiss,
Albert Taylor,	Frank Murphy,
Lewis F. Aldrich,	George Spindel,
William E. Cook,	Myron Morey,
Edgar E. Colburn,	Harry A. Macuen,
Harold M. Curtiss,	James B. Lester,
Batista J. Vitalini,	Nathaniel Spindel,
Leo F. Ross,	John Morey,
Elmer I. Goddard,	James J. Cahill,
John P. Remick,	Edward O'Connor,
Ada B. Daniels.	

JANITOR OF TOWN HALL AND LOCK-UP KEEPER.

Daniel M. O'Brien.

JANITOR OF MEMORIAL HALL.

J. Warren Richardson.

FIELD DRIVER.

Peter Gallagher.

FENCE VIEWERS.

George S. Whitney,

Charles H. Kimball.

BURIAL AGENT.

George S. Whitney.

CONSTABLES.

Daniel M. O'Brien,

Ernest E. O'Brien,

Raphael Marino.

CHIEF OF POLICE.

(Classified under Civil Service)

John J. Moloney.

PATROLMEN.

(Assigned to patrol duty by chief of police under authority of Selectmen.)

(Classified as police officers under Civil Service.)

James J. Birmingham,

William J. Corbett,

Iginio A. Pantano,

Ernest L. Bagley,

Alphonse Calzone,

John C. Wilson,

James J. Fullum.

*Appointed by the Selectmen.*POLICE OFFICERS.

John Larson,	John J. Harrington,
Patrick H. Moore,	Roland F. Milan,
Thomas McDonald,	Martin J. Wallace,
William S. Davis,	Daniel F. Tynan,
James F. Egan,	Michael G. Lynch,
Joseph L. Gibbs,	Ernest L. Bagley,
William J. Carley,	Nicola Petrarca,
Iginio Pantano,	Alfred P. Henderson,
Patrick J. Duddy,	Patrick F. Fitzgerald,
Lyndhurst A. MacGregor,	Gaetano Bonini,
Joseph Renda,	Thomas H. Heagney,
Frank E. Hill,	Basil E. Aldrich,
Frank I. Ward,	William J. Corbett,
William W. O'Brien,	Walter F. Snowling,
William N. Prentiss,	M. Marcus Moran,
Giuseppe Cellini,	William Morgan,
James H. Reynolds,	William Ahern,
Myron Morey,	John F. Cuddihy,
Axel Pierson,	George I. Spindel,
John F. Damon,	Alfonse Calzone,
John L. Keefe,	Antonio Santosuosso,
William Davoren,	Michael Fitzpatrick,
Frank DeCesare,	Frank J. Davoren,
Edward Davoren,	John J. Donigan.

(Edward Burns (at Milford Pink-Victoria White Granite Co.)

John Jones (B & A. R. R.)

Lucius R. Dodge, Harry C. Barker, (G. & U. R. R.)

Wallace A. Lindsey, (Archer Rubber Co).

John McGrath, (Legion Hall)

Hugh F. Mears, (Congregational Church).

William A. Birmingham, (K. of C. Hall).

Harold Trudell, (Red Men's Hall).

Benjamin F. Davis, (M & U Car Barn).

Edric Temple, (Odd Fellows hall).

William Kane, (Ideal Theatre).

Joseph B. Hurl, (Milford Opera House).
 Francis W. Sanderson, (Hopedale Mfg. Co.)
 Herbert C. Hopkins (Hopedale Mfg. Co.)
 James Murphy, (Post Office).
 Daniel Carey, (Milford Iron Foundry).
 D. J. Pond, (M. & U. Car Barn.)

Appointed by Director, Division of Animal Industry,

INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS.

Dr. Benjamin F. Hartman.

Appointed by Overseers of the Poor.

TOWN PHYSICIAN.

John V. Gallagher, M. D.

CLERK.

John E. Roche.

SUPERINTENDENT OF TOWN FARM.

Frank E. Hill.

Appointed by Board of Health.

INSPECTOR OF MEATS AND PROVISIONS.

James J. Fullum.

William E. Gallagher, Assistant.

INSPECTOR OF PLUMBING.

John E. Higgiston.

ASSISTANT INSPECTOR OF PLUMBING.

Maurice J. Quinlan.

Appointed By Sewer Commissioners.

CLERK.

Charles F. Cahill.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SEWERS.

Alfred F. Martin.

Appointed By the School Committee.

SCHOOL PHYSICIANS.

John M. French, M. D., John V. Gallagher, M. D.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS AND SECRETARY OF SCHOOL
COMMITTEE.

Almorin O. Caswell.

ATTENDANCE OFFICER.

Raphael Marino.

Appointed by the State Forester.

FOREST FIRE WARDEN.

John H. Egan.

GYPSY MOTH SUPERINTENDENT.

Patrick F. Fitzgerald.

Appointed by the Selectmen.

FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Thomas J. Welch, Chairman, Term expires May 1, 1927.

Paul Williams, Term expires May 1, 1926.

Marcus W. Rose, Term expires May 1, 1926.

George F. Birch, Term expires May 1, 1926.

William J. Collins, Term expires May 1, 1926.

Myron Morey, Term expires May 1, 1923.

John H. Canniff, Term expires May 1, 1927.

Joseph Morcone, Term expires May 1, 1927.

Clifford A. Cook, Term expires May 1, 1927.

John F. Damon, Term expires May 1, 1927.

Walter L. Adams, Term expires May 1, 1928.

Alton H. Metcalf, Term expires May 1, 1928.

William J. Moore, Term expires May 1, 1928.

Fred T. Cahill, Term expires May 1, 1928.

William H. Casey, Term expires May 1, 1928.

TRUSTEES OF NORTH PURCHASE CEMETERY.

Myron Morey,

Adolphus Tyler,

Mabel F. Kinney,

Nelson Morey,

Mary Bickford,

Jennie Morey.

TOWN APPROPRIATIONS.

Appropriations made at the annual town meeting, March
2, 6 and 10, 1925:—

Board of Health:—

General	\$3,910 00	
Dental Clinic	2,400 00	
	<hr/>	\$6,310 00

Fire Department:—

Brush fires	\$ 200 00	
Incidentals	3,000 00	
New hose	1,000 00	
Pay roll	11,520 00	
Repairs	600 00	
Increase in pay	1,400 00	
	<hr/>	17,720 00

Fees, (Gen. Laws, Chap. 262, Sec. 51)	500 00
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Highways:—

General	\$46,000 00	
New truck	5,000 00	
Whitney street	1,000 00	
Unpaid bills, 1924	5,926 62	
	<hr/>	57,926 62

Incidentals:—

General	5,500 00
Interest	18,500 00

Memorial Day:—

Post 22, G. A. R.	\$200 00	
J. W. Powers Post, American Legion	200 00	
Spanish War Veterans	30 00	
	<hr/>	430 00

Memorial Hall:—

General	\$ 1,100 00
Military Aid	500 00
North Purchase cemetery	50 00
Police Department	12,000 00

Poor Department:—

General	\$26,000 00	
Unpaid bills, 1924	437 94	
	<hr/>	26,437 94
Mothers' aid	\$20,000 00	
Unpaid bills, 1924	85 00	
Painting town farm buildings not to exceed	800 00	
	<hr/>	20,885 00
Reserve Fund		5,000 00

Salaries:—

General	\$17,000 00	
Finance committee secretary	50 00	
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School Department:—

General	175,500 00
Sidewalks	5,000 00

Sewer Department:—

General	\$7,600 00	
Filter system	3,500 00	
Unpaid bills, 1924	1,109 37	
	<hr/>	12,209 37

New Constructions:—

North street, Dominick street, Plains street, Quinlan street, Glines Ave.	5,000 00
Soldiers' Relief	4,000 00
Soldiers and Sailors, care of graves (Gen. Laws, Chap. 115)	100 00
Street Lighting	17,000 00
State Aid (Civil and Spanish Wars)	1,800 00
Tax Collector's bond, premium	250 00
Treasurer's bond, premium	200 00

Town Hall:—

General	\$3,000 00	
Painting inside same, not to exceed	1,200 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 4,200 00

Town Debt		30,500 00
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Town Library:—

Balance dog tax, 1923	\$ 322 16	
Dog tax 1924	1,511 41	
and	1,700 00	
	<hr/>	3,533 57

Town Parks:—

General	\$1,800 00	
Playgrounds	650 00	
	<hr/>	2,450 00
Unpaid bills, 1924		49 68

Tree Warden:—

Care of trees and shrubs	\$1,000 00	
Gypsy moth suppression	500 00	
New trees	100 00	
	<hr/>	1,600 00

Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture

(Gen. Laws. Chap. 128)	100 00
Vernon Grove cemetery	250 00
Water for fire purposes	8,000 00
Watering streets and laying dust	2,100 00
Water costs to be assessed to abutters	900 00
Workmen's compensation premium	1,000 00
Cedar street construction, Unpaid bills, 1923	461 51
Madden Avenue repairs	1,000 00
Fire Alarm Box, corner of Franklin and Claflin streets	200 00
Fire Alarm Box, corner of Central and East streets	200 00
Hydrant, upper end of Emmons street	50 00
Street lights on Beaver street	126 00
Street lights on Ferguson street	54 00

Town of Hopkinton (re-imbusement) for money expended in 1924 toward the cost of operation of the M. & U. St. Railway		\$250 00
Street lights on West Fountain and High- land streets		128 09
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Total appropriations		\$168,121 69
Total amount raised and appropriated		\$166,238 12

A true copy of the records. Attest:

DENNIS J. SULLIVAN,

Town Clerk.

SUMMARY OF EXPENSES.

	Total Expenses,	Balance Unexpended.
Board of Health :—		
General	\$4,699 98	\$110 02
Dental Clinic	2,297 00	163 00
Charles River Reclamation	1,797 58	1,802 42
Fire Department :—		
Brush fires	196 10	3 90
Incidentals	3,296 02	3 98
New hose	995 00	5 00
Pay roll of members	11,520 00	
Increase of pay of members	1,400 00	
Repairs	600 00	
Fire alarm box, corner of Claflin and Franklin streets	143 52	56 48
Fire alarm box, corner of Central and East streets	191 68	8 32
Fees (General Laws, Chapter 262, Section 51)	87 30	412 70
Highways :—		
General	45,949 51	50 49
New truck	4,926 21	79 79
Unpaid bills, 1924	5,179 75	746 87
Whitney street repairs	1,000 00	
Madden Avenue repairs	1,000 00	
Tractor, Rental of	2,000 00	150 00
Incidentals :—General	5,991 38	108 62
Interest	18,597 66	2 00
Memorial Day	430 00	
Memorial Hall :—General	1,054 44	45 56
Military Aid	147 00	353 00
North Purchase cemetery	50 00	
Police Department	13,300 00	

Poor Department :—

General	\$27,934 79	\$ 65 21
Unpaid bills, 1924	437 94	
Mothers' aid	18,302 90	1,697 10
Unpaid bills, 1924	85 00	
Painting Town Farm buildings	799 70	30

Reserve Fund	4,799 66	200 34
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School Department :—General . 177,087 17 12 83

Salaries	16,674 20	325 80
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Sidewalks	5,000 00	
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Sewer Department :—

General maintenance	7,409 34	439 02
Filter System	1,910 44	1,590 37
Unpaid bills, 1924	1,107 05	2 32
New constructions	5,825 77	291 52

Secretary of finance committee	50 00	
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Soldier's relief	3,868 90	131 10
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Soldiers and Sailors, care of graves

(General Laws, Chap. 115)		100 00
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State Aid, Civil and Spanish Wars	1,134 00	666 00
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Street lighting	16,705 96	294 04
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Street lights on Beaver street	54 00	72 00
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Street lights on Ferguson street	31 50	22 50
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Street lights, West Fountain and Highland streets	72 00	56 00
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Tax Collector's Bond, premium	250 00	
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Treasurer's Bond, premium	200 00	
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Town Hall:—

General	2,994 25	5 45
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Painting inside Town Hall	1,185 00	15 00
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Town Debt	30,500 00	
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Town Library	3,497 67	35 90
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Town Parks:—

General	1,770 23	29 77
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Playgrounds	650 00	
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Unpaid bills, 1924	49 68	
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Skating surface	562 00	
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Tree Warden :--

Care of trees and shrubs	999 00	1 00
Gypsy moth suppression	500 00	
New trees	100 00	
Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture, (Gen. Laws, Chapter 128)	100 00	
Vernon Grove Cemetery	2,313 46	89
Water for fire purposes	7,966 67	33 33
Water, cost to be assessed to abutters.	900 00	
Watering streets and laying dust	3,000 00	
Workmen's Compensation premium	1,000 00	
Cedar street construction, unpaid bill, 1923	461 51	
Cedar street construction, 1923	200 00	
Cedar street construction, 1924	5,697 87	463 32
Hydrant, upper end of Emmons street	14 55	35 45
Town of Hopkinton, re-imbursement	250 00	
Central street drain	1,570 00	677 41
Traffic signals	94 70	
Rental and maintenance of headquarters for J. W. Powers Post, American Legion		800 00
Providing grounds for Small Arms Practice for Co. I, 181 Infantry, N. G.		1,000 00

\$483,561 04

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DENNIS J. SULLIVAN,
Town Clerk.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN.

TO THE CITIZENS OF THE TOWN OF MILFORD, MASS.:

We hereby submit our report for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1925, with an itemized account of the expenditures of the various departments under our supervision.

HIGHWAYS.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$46,000 00
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Labor and team work:—

Paid labor as per warrant.	\$ 22,156 83
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W. Prentice Leland, pension	387 60
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A. Taylor, team hire	33 75
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N. Ray Streeter team hire	109 75
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Louisa Lake Ice Co., team hire	52 17
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Stanley L. Lutz, team hire	40 00
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Wm. Melvin, team hire	80 00
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Shaughnessy Bros., team hire	88 00
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Arthur DePasquale, truck hire	200 00
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Dempsey & Taylor, truck hire	709 00
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Henry L. Schultz, electrical work, supplies	122 85
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G. L. Dalrymple, repairing trucks, supplies	261 31
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Herman Ryan, repairing trucks	172 46
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Helen Callery, clerical work.	40 00
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John F. Damon, machin- ist, labor on road ma- chinery	\$121 10
Louis P. Pratt, plumber .	3 85
Waters & Hynes, carpen- ters	2 27
Milford Water Co, flush- ing drains, use of water	21 29
H. P. Welch, trucking from Boston	75 00
Thomas F. Maher, carpen- ter	89 38
Rouleau Bros, repairing trucks	64 31
John E. Higgiston, install- ing heater and water closet at town barn, fur- nishing pipe and mate- rial	350 25
Thomas H Dwyer, paint- ing and lettering signs .	121 50
H. R. Hoyle, lettering truck	4 00
Alfredo Abbiatti, sharpen- ing tools	15 10
	————— \$25,321 77

Material:—

Paid Melvin Sand Co., sand and gravel	\$ 541 00
A. Rosenfeld, sand and gravel	387 40
J. S. Lane & Sons, trap rock	228 33
N. H. Trap Rock Co., trap rock	1,414 68
George A. Moore, gravel .	284 50
Percy Abell, lumber .	44 72
J. A. Tyler, plank .	2 00

Louisa Lake Ice Co., lum-

ber . . . \$ 6 50

M. Kapatos, lumber . . . 9 00**Louis Marino, lumber** . . . 15 44**Independent Coal Tar Co.,**

cold patch . . . 98 80

The Barrett Co, tarvia . . . 716 85**American Oil Products Co.,**

cold patch . . . 3,822 75

J. F. Powers, plank . . . 292 65**B. & A. R. R. Co., cinders** . . . 35 00**Milford Gas Light Co., tar** . . . 255 96**N. Y, N H. & H. R. R.**

Co, cinders . . . 762 00

Mahoney & Fitzpatrick,

curbing . . . 353 00

\$9,270 58**Blacksmiths: —****Paid Luigi Recchiuto** . . . \$510 00**F. S. Slavin & Son** . . . 256 35**Michael Cleary** . . . 45 85**L. E. Belknap** . . . 1 05

\$813 35**Hay and Grain:—****Paid James Lally** . . . \$340 72**Milford Grain Co.** . . . 258 04**Thomas W. Keane, hay** . . . 68 35**Morey Bros., hay** . . . 234 83

\$901 94**Supplies:—****Paid Crowell & DeWitt, oil** \$ 1 20**Standard Oil Co, gasoline** 1,045 17**Clark Ellis & Sons** . . . 892 85**H. D. Bullard, supplies**

for trucks . . . 31 54

Bullard's Tire Shop. sup-

plies for trucks . . . 230 15

Milford Battery Service Station, supplies for trucks	\$ 51 25
Barney Coal Co., coal	119 67
Milford Grain Co., cement	29 10
Fahey's Tire and Service Station, supplies for trucks	626 45
Plains Auto Supply, gaso- line, oil	22 40
Casey's Auto Supply, sup- plies for trucks	37 77
F. A. Gould	244 67
N. L. Huff, gas lights	7 40
H. M. Curtiss Coal Co., coal lumber, cement	933 52
Jacbern Hardware Co.	90 16
Niro & Niro	45 53
Reynolds Music Store, sta- tionery	14 95
J. T. Crowell, repairing harnesses, and supplies	177 95
Buffalo-Springfield Roller Co., roller parts	75 23
H. I. Dallman Co., brooms	27 25
H. S. Chadbourne Co.	81 74
Mack Motor Truck Co., parts for truck	78 90
B. Vitalini, coal	54 31
Milford Iron Foundry, grates	250 34
Good Road Machinery Co., plough	300 50
J. J. O'Connor's Sons, rub- ber boots	12 75
N. E. Road Machinery Co., parts for road machine	17 00
M. E. L. & P. Co., lamps	2 28

W. P. Jones Electric Co., fuse	\$ 16
Fred Bloom, hammer han- dles	7 00
Shea Bros, oil	2 65
Clark & Shaughnessy, coal and wood	63 25
J. Allen Rice Co., horse liniment	1 00
	<hr/> \$5,576 09

Sundries: —

Paid B. J. Clancey, insur- ance on trucks	\$ 88 80
John H. Cunniff, insur- ance on trucks	51 00
Paul Williams, insurance on trucks	167 51
William J. Walker & Co., insurance on truck	60 60
William J. Walker & Co., insurance on road roller	46 20
John H. Egan, insurance on truck	56 60
Curran's Express	13 18
Higgins Bros, lunches	12 35
Milford Coal Co, rent of land	50 00
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., ser- vice	13 65
Milford Daily News, ad- vertising	43 20
H. M. Curtiss Coal Co., use of trestle	22 24
B. & A. R. R. Co, freight	11 00
Cahill's News Agency, stationery	10 48
Annie Lawless Store, sta- tionery	1 55

H. A. Daniels & Co., insurance on truck . . .	\$	17	00	
N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co., freight . . .		1,609	06	
Casey's Auto Supply, Ford runabout, and Ford 1-ton chassis and body . . .		1,117	30	
Milford Water Co., water . . .		12	12	
Dr. B. F. Hartman, veterinary . . .		16	50	
Wm. E. Cook, tables and chairs . . .		17	50	
Charlescraft Press, printing . . .		4	50	
G. M. Billings, printing . . .		2	25	
Clark & Shaughnessy, rent of land . . .		108	00	
Milford Gas Light Co., light . . .		4	00	
Fuller & Wilson Ex. Co. . .		22	20	
P. M., Milford stamped envelopes . . .		10	96	
Universal Supply Heating Co., heating plant for town barn . . .		455	78	
M. E. L. & P. Co., light . . .		13	75	
W. J. Seaver's Express . . .		75		
Edward C. Beaulac, reimbursement for incidental expenses . . .		5	75	
				\$4,065 78
Total expenditures . . .				\$45,949 51
Balance unexpended . . .				50 49
				\$46,000 00 \$46,000 00

HIGHWAYS, UNPAID BILLS 1924.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$5,926 62
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EXPENDITURES.

Paid Clark Ellis & Sons, supplies .	\$ 34 05
Louisa Lake Ice Co., lumber .	146 04
A. J. Ignition Co.	62 22
George A. Moore, gravel	108 75
Paul Guglielmi, gravel	24 00
L. E. Belknap, blacksmith	4 30
Myer Rosen, collecting paper . . .	126 00
Dr. B. F. Hartman, veterinary . .	5 00
Standard Oil Co, gasoline	47 10
Milford Coal Co., rent of land . .	12 50
The Barrett Co, tarvia	148 40
Fuller & Wilson Ex. Co., express .	12 50
Helen Callery, clerical work . . .	20 00
Shea Bros., supplies	34 75
Milford Grain Co., cement	90
Buffalo-Springfield Roller Co., roller parts	600 00
James Lally, grain	90 48
Louis P. Pratt, plumber	10 40
Jacbern Hardware Co., supplies . .	18 70
Michael Cleary, blacksmith	14 00
F. S. Slavin & Son, blacksmiths . .	36 63
Casey Auto Supply, supplies	5 95
Fahey's Tire and Service Station, supplies	102 37
Dalrymple & Ryan, repairing trucks and supplies	58 80
Fred Bloom, curbing	52 50
H. M. Curtiss, Coal Co, coal	108 25
Monti & Rossi, curbing	350 00
American Oil Products Co, road oil .	2,140 50
N. Road Machinery Co., machine parts	37 22

Milford Water Co., labor	\$ 8 64	
Thomas F. Burns, plank	58 80	
Melvin Sand Co., sand and gravel	700 00	
Balance unexpended	746 87	
	<u>\$5,926 62</u>	<u>\$5,926 62</u>

NEW TRUCK FOR HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$5,000 00
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EXPENDITURES.

Paid Mack Motor, Mack Dump Truck	\$4,435 84	
H. R. Hoyle, lettering truck	6 00	
Superior Motor Supply Shop, tires, tubes, oil	321 80	
F. S. Slavin & Son, blacksmith	34 00	
Mack Motor Truck Co., supplies	122 57	
Balance unexpended	79 79	
	<u>\$5,000 00</u>	<u>\$5,000 00</u>

TRACTORS FOR HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

RECEIPTS.

By balance of appropriation, year 1923	\$2,150 00
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EXPENDITURES.

Paid Eastern Tractors Co., rent of tractor	\$2,000 00	
Balance unexpended	150 00	
	<u>\$2,150 00</u>	<u>\$2,150 00</u>

WHITNEY STREET REPAIRS.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$1,000 00
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EXPENDITURES.

Paid labor as per warrant	\$1,000 00	
	<u>\$1,000 00</u>	<u>\$1,000 00</u>

MADDEN AVENUE REPAIRS.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$1,000 00
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EXPENDITURES.

Paid labor as per warrant	\$ 725 75	
Buffalo, Springfield Roller Co. 10		
ton king pin complete	72 25	
George A. Moore, gravel	8 25	
B. Vitalini, coal	4 75	
Boston & Albany R. R. Co., cin-		
ders	189 00	
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	\$1,000 00	\$1,000 00

CENTRAL STREET DRAIN.

RECEIPTS.

By balance of appropriation, year 1923	\$2,247 41
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EXPENDITURES.

Paid Guido Sabatinelli, completing		
connections in drain	\$ 175 00	
Chester F. Williams, Esq., Town So-		
licitor, to pay legal claims against		
contractor	1,395 00	
Balance unexpended	677 41	
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	\$2,247 41	\$2,247 41

STREET LIGHTS.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$17,000 00
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EXPENDITURES.

Paid Milford Elec. Light & Power Co.,		
as per contract	\$16,705 96	
Balance unexpended	294 04	
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	\$17,000 00	\$17,000 00

STREET LIGHTS ON BEAVER STREET.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$126 00
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EXPENDITURES.

Paid Milford Elec. Light & Power		
Co., as per contract	\$54 00	
Balance unexpended	72 00	
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	\$126 00	\$126 00

STREET LIGHTS ON FERGUSON STREET.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$54 00
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EXPENDITURES.

Paid Milford Elec. Light & Power		
Co. as per contract	\$31 50	
Balance unexpended	22 50	
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	\$54 00	\$54 00

STREET LIGHTS ON W. FOUNTAIN AND HIGHLAND
STREETS.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$128 00
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EXPENDITURES

Paid Milford Elec. Light and Power		
Co. as per contract	\$72 00	
Balance unexpended	56 00	
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	\$128 00	\$128 00

HYDRANT ON UPPER EMMONS STREET.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$50 00
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EXPENDITURES.

Paid Milford Water Co. as per con-		
tract	\$14 55	
Balance unexpended	35 45	
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	\$50 00	\$50 00

INCIDENTALS.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$5,500 00
From Reserve fund (By vote of Finance Com- mittee)	600 00

EXPENDITURES.

Printing and advertising:—

Paid G. M. Billings, Town Reports	\$1,109 00
G. M. Billings	125 25
Milford Daily News Co.	405 60
The Charlescraft Press, poll tax books	350 84
The Charlescraft Press	79 75
William P. Clarke	54 50
Franklin Sentinel	13 75
—————	\$2,138 69

Town Meetings:—

Paid Tellers, March 2 and 3	\$404 00
Harold K. Bullard, check- ing voting lists March 2	15 00
James J. Connors, check- ing voting lists March 2	15 00
Charles W. Gould, ballot clerk, March 2	15 00
George V. Larkin, ballot clerk, March 2	15 00
Benjamin J. Clancy, dep- uty ballot clerk, March 2	10 00
William E. Gallagher, dep- uty ballot clerk, March 2	10 00
Ernest E. O'Brien, printing and posting warrants	18 00
John J. Moloney, printing and posting warrants	18 00

Will E. Southland, lunches for registrars	\$ 7 00	
Higgin Bros, lunches for election officers	25 25	
Police duty, March 2 . . .	33 00	
Avery & Woodbury Co., use of chairs	7 00	
John T. McLoughlin, Mod- erator, March 2, 6, 10, Aug. 3, Oct. 28. Dec. 21	70 00	
	————	\$662 25

Enforcement of dog law:—		
Paid Basil E. Aldrich, dog officer	\$78 00	
Antonio Iannitelli, burying dog	1 00	
	————	\$79 00

Damages and law suits:—		
Paid William A. Murray, Esq, attorney for Flor- ence Adams, injuries re- ceived from fall on side- walk	\$110 00	
Stephen L Cook, damage to truck on highway	83 73	
Edward J. Burke, damage to automobile on high- way	6 50	
	————	\$200 23

Returns—Births and Deaths:—		
Paid George F. Curley, M. D, return of births	\$50 00	
John F. Keane, M. D., re- turn of births	14 75	
K. A Campbell, M. D, re- turn of births	4 75	
John J. Duggan, M. D., re- turn of births	7 25	

P. E. Joslin, M. D., return of births	\$13 25
F. H. Lally, M. D., return of births	4 00
John V. Gallagher, M. D., return of births	5 50
Frank D. White, M. D., re- turn of births	75
L. F. Playse, M. D., return of birth	25
Fred C. Goddard, M. D., re- turn of births	2 75
P. E. Levy, M. D., return of births	2 00
Frank T. Harvey, M. D., return of births	1 75
John H. Wyman, M. D., re- turn of births	4 25
E. Federici, M. D., return of births	1 25
M. W. Knight, M. D., re- turn of births	1 75
H. R. Green, M. D., return of births	75
Samuel Butler, M. D., re- turn of births	50
C. C. Weymouth, M. D., return of births	1 50
M. L. Griswold, M. D., re- turn of birth	25
Charles B. Hussey, M. D., return of births	1 50
G. S. Thompson, M. D., re- turn of birth	25
Solon Abbott, M. D., re- turn of birth	25
Noe N. Charboneun, M. D., return of birth	25

Carl E. Richardson, M. D., return of births	\$ 75
Samuel Capen, M. D., re- turn of birth	25
Walter W. Watson, return of deaths	6 50
A. DePasquale & Co., re- turn of deaths	9 00
George W. Wood, return of deaths	11 00
James B. Edwards, return of deaths	19 00
Arthur J. Heroux, return of deaths	1 75
P. A. McGowan, return of death	25
W. E. Mulgrew, return of death	25
A. C. Seagrave, return of death	25
E. J. Reilly, return of death	25
J. L. Norton, return of death	25
T. E. Flaherty, return of death	25
F. E. Williams, return of deaths	50
T. F. Callanan, return of deaths	1 00
T. F. Keefe, return of deaths	1 00
L. S. Wiggin, return of deaths	50
John Hofstra, return of death	25
S. C. J. Quirk, return of death	25

A. Gilbert, return of death	\$	25	
W. Hollander, return of death		25	
	—————	\$173	25

Stationery, Stamps : —

Paid Worcester County Abstract Co., Assessors' abstracts	\$105	08
Commonwealth Press, order books for Selectmen	170	00
Burroughs Adding Machine Co, maintenance service, paper	23	03
Dennis J. Sullivan, Town Clerk, re-imbusement for cash disbursements for postage and express	44	50
Cahill's News Agency, stationery	34	17
Reynolds' Music Store, Collector's books	33	25
P. M., Milford, stamped envelopes for treasurer	33	36
Blake Ribhan Co, record book	12	14
P. B. Murphy, dog license blanks, birth blanks	36	75
Remington Typewriter Co., ribbons and paper	14	32
Hobbs and Warren, license blanks, books	10	49
Thomas Groom & Co, books for treasurer	140	60
Davol Printing House, Assessors' schedules	17	00
Francis Doane Co. Inc, tax books	26	19

Library Bureau, filing cabinet for assessors .	\$58 25	
Harry W. Stacy, Automobile tax list for assessors	5 00	
Commissioner of Public Safety, license blanks	10	
A. H. Bartlett Co., birth blanks	2 06	
William F. Clancy, assessor, reimbursement for cash disbursements for stamps	21 80	
	— — — —	\$788 109

Sundries :—

Paid Henry J. Dwyer, painting and lettering signs	\$28 35	
George A. Barry, town treasurer, re-imbursement for cash disbursements for certification of town notes and postage	99 97	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., service	201 43	
John O'Brien, automobile for sealer of weights and measures	26 00	
Lawrence Gillon, automobile hire	6 00	
Edward C. Beaulac, return of lock-up keys	1 00	
Patrick J. Duddy, return of lock-up keys	1 00	
Roland F. Milan, return of lock-up keys	1 00	
John Begian, automobile hire, inspector of animals	20 00	

Lebanon Machinery Co , traffic signs	\$88 23
Milford Water Co , water for drinking fountains	44 00
James Luchini, C. E., street plans and surveys . . .	31 50
H. S. ChadbourneCo., seal- ing wires	9 25
W. E. Southland, lunches	11 00
W. J. Walker & Co., pre- mium on town clerk's bond	4 00
W. J Walker & Co., pre- mium on burglary in- surance policy for tax collector	67 05
B J Clancey, premium on insurance policy on standard weights and measures	42 80
Louis P. Pratt, labor on drinking fountain . . .	23 05
American Gas Accumula- tor Co., gas for traffic signals	51 10
Reformatory for Women, flag	2 95
Munson Supply Co., type- writer keys	4 00
Nicholas Cardo, Band for Defense Day parade . .	108 00
A. L. Phipps Co , decorat- ing Town Hall building	25 00
Maryland CasualtyCo , bal- ance due on premium on Workmen's Compensa- tion Policy, J. F. Hick- ey, Agent	45 36

James Phipp, assisting State Aid Examiner .	\$ 5 00	
William A. Murray, Secre- tary of Finance Commit- tee, expenses of sten- ographer and postage	13 86	
Louisa Lake Ice Co., ice for drinking fountain	76 74	
Frederick A. Nealon, auto- mobile for assessors .	51 00	
H. A. Manning Co., town directories	18 00	
Co, I, 181 Inf., N. G., trans- portation to rifle range	80 00	
Waters & Hynes, repair- ing, labor on signs .	4 98	
H. W. Gaskill, C. E., street plans and surveys .	10 00	
Maryland Casualty Co., J. F. Hickey, Agent, premi- um on Public Liability Policy	55 11	
General Electric Co., globes and flashers for traffic signals	95 01	
Fuller & Wilson Co., ex- press	50	
	—————	\$1,352 24

Taking of Decennial Census:—

Paid James J. Connors, su- pervisor	\$225 00
Joseph Santosuosso, enu- merator	51 12
Harry L Webster, enumer- ator	47 40
William E. Gallagher, enu- merator	43 92

Americo Barbadoro, enumerator	\$35 77		
Franklin Kennedy, enumerator	30 75		
John Rooney, enumerator	24 43		
Charles Delfante, enumerator	23 92		
John Earley, enumerator	37 18		
Raymond R. Murphy, enumerator	14 20		
Peter Malloy, enumerator	16 58		
William Connolly, enumerator	16 58		
John Begian, enumerator	7 28		
Thomas McDonald, enumerator	6 30		
Laura Consoletti, enumerator	3 00		
John F. O'Connell, enumerator	14 20		
	<hr/>	\$597 63	
Total expenditures		\$5,991 38	
Balance unexpended		108 62	
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		\$6,100 00	\$6,100 00

WATERING STREETS AND LAYING DUST.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$2,100 00
From appropriation, cost of water to be assessed to abutters	900 00

EXPENDITURES.

Paid labor as per warrant	\$ 265 44
Independent Coal Tar Co, tar via	929 28
American Oil Products Co, surface dressing	1,232 40

Natick Road Oil Co., road oil	\$460 00	
Melvin Sand Co., sand	112 88	
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	\$3,000 00	\$3,000 00

COST OF WATER TO BE ASSESSED TO ABUTTERS.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	900 00
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EXPENDITURES.

Paid to appropriation for watering streets and laying dust	\$900 00	
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	\$900 00	\$900 00

WATER FOR FIRE PURPOSES.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$8,000 00
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EXPENDITURES.

Paid Milford Water Co, as per con- tract	\$7,966 67	
Balance unexpended	33 33	
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	\$8,000,00	\$8,000 00

SIDEWALKS.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$5,000 00
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EXPENDITURES.

- Paid labor as per warrant	\$3,452 58	
Independent Coal Tar Co., pitch	191 92	
Milford Gas Light Co., tar	442 00	
Milford Iron Foundry, steel roll- ers	5 35	
Roberto Costa, curbing	27 00	
Fred Bloom, curbing	59 15	
Shaughnessy & Clark, wood	216 00	
Melvin Sand Co, sand and gravel	174 25	

A. Rosenfeld, sand and gravel .	\$217 35	
Standard Oil Co., oil . .	6 50	
B. & A. R. R. Co., cinders .	180 50	
Monti & Rossi, curbing . .	2 80	
George A. Moore, gravel . .	21 50	
H. S. Chadbourne Co., supplies .	3 10	
	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00

MEMORIAL HALL.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$1,100 00
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EXPENDITURES.

Paid J. Warren Richardson, janitor	\$420 00	
B. Vitalini, coal	340 20	
Chester Benotti, labor . .	196 50	
L. P. Pratt, plumber . . .	8 40	
H. S. Chadbourne Co., supplies .	12 90	
Clark Ellis & Sons, supplies .	30 48	
Arthur L. Maynard, assistant janitor	20 00	
Commissioner of Public Safety, boiler inspection	5 00	
Milford Water Co., use of water	14 96	
Milford Gas Light Co, gas for lighting	6 00	
Balance unexpended	45 56	
	\$1,100 00	\$1,100 00

TOWN HALL.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$3,000 00
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EXPENDITURES.

Paid Daniel M. O'Brien, janitor .	\$1,200 00
Milford Water Co, use of water .	38 81
Milford Electric Light & Power Co., light	222 55

Milford Gas Light Co., light .	\$12 39	
The Marathon Press, paper seals	3 00	
Clark Ellis & Sons, supplies .	14 05	
Avery & Woodbury Co., supplies	5 50	
Beacon Supply Co., supplies .	5 95	
Niro & Niro, electrical work and supplies	55 21	
Crowell & DeWitt, supplies .	3 30	
H. M. Curtiss Coal Co., toilet paper	7 00	
H. M. Curtiss Coal Co., coal .	651 81	
C. L. Barnard, care of clock .	100 00	
T. E. Morse Co., painting .	175 00	
E. M. Crockett, painting .	160 30	
J. F. Damon, machinist, labor .	29 25	
N. J. Peterson, carpenter, labor .	16 00	
Waters & Hynes, carpenters, labor	139 09	
L. P. Pratt, plumber, labor .	23 09	
Eugene E. Durfee, labor .	12 00	
I. E. Pearson, setting glass .	3 98	
Commissioner of Public Safety, boiler inspection	5 00	
W. J. Walker & Co., premium on insurance policy on plate, glass windows	12 77	
M. S. McMahon, labor on boiler .	6 00	
Edward C. Beaulac, police duty .	26 50	
James J. Fullum, police duty .	66 00	
Balance unexpended	5 45	
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		\$3,000 00 \$3,000 00

PAINTING INSIDE OF TOWN HALL.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$1 200 00
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EXPENDITURES.

Paid E. M. Crockett, as per con-			
tract	\$1,185	00	
Balance unexpended	15	00	
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	\$1,200	00	\$1,200 00

STATE AID.

[Civil and Spanish Wars].

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$1,800	00
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EXPENDITURES.

Paid various persons	\$1,134	00
Balance unexpended	666	00
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	\$1,800	00
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MILITARY AID.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$500	00
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EXPENDITURES.

Paid various persons	\$147	00
Balance unexpended	353	00
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	\$500	00
	\$500	00

SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$4,000	00
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EXPENDITURES.

Paid various persons	\$3,868	90
Balance unexpended	131	10
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	\$4,000	00
	\$4,000	00

SALARIES.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$17,000 00
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EXPENDITURES.

Paid Philip Cenedella, selectman	\$ 206 95
Thomas F. Malloy, selectman	203 53
John E. Higgiston, selectman	250 00
Dean R. Spindel, selectman	43 05
Chester F. Williams, Esq., town solicitor	250 00
Chester F. Williams, Esq., town solicitor, extra legal fees	861 70
Dennis J. Sullivan, town clerk and clerk of selectmen	1,000 00
Dennis J. Sullivan, town clerk, recording births, marriages and deaths for year 1924	807 50
George A. Barry, town treasurer	1,200 00
Matthew J. Carbary, tax collector, collection of taxes and sewer assessments for 1922, 1923, 1924 and 1925	3,280 72
John P. Callery, highway surveyor	282 32
Edward C. Beaulac, highway surveyor	1,417 68
Michael B. Sweeney, chairman, overseers of poor	250 00
Fred M. Crowell, overseer of poor	150 00
Fred J. Coleman, overseer of poor	150 00
Frank P. Dillon, chairman sewer commissioners	250 00
Louis P. Pratt, sewer commissioner	200 00
Alfred F. Martin, sewer commissioner	200 00
William F. Clancy, chairman of board of assessors	1,068 00
Frederick W. Holland, assessor	968 00

Frederick A. Nealon, assessor	\$1,152 00	
Henry Sanclemente, assisting assessors	108 50	
Elsie L. Cooper, clerical work for assessors	76 25	
Joseph V. Carey, auditor	200 00	
George W. Billings, registrar of voters	150 00	
L. Blaine Libbey, registrar of voters	150 00	
Edward J. Burke, registrar of voters	55 00	
Umberto Tosti, registrar of voters	68 00	
Dennis J. Sullivan, clerk, registrars of voters	175 00	
Fred M. Daniels, inspector of wires	400 00	
Dr. Benjamin F. Hartman, inspector of animals	200 00	
Daniel M. O'Brien, sealer of weights and measures	300 00	
Maurice J. Quinlan, chairman board of health	100 00	
Francis H. Lally, M. D., board of health	100 00	
Oscar C. Ayotte, board of health	100 00	
John E. Higgiston, plumbing inspector	150 00	
Maurice J. Quinlan, assistant plumbing inspector	150 00	
Balance unexpended	325 80	
		\$17,000 00 \$17,000 00

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$12,000 00
From Reserve Fund, by vote of finance committee	1,300 00

EXPENDITURES.

Paid John J. Moloney, chief of police	\$1,800 00
Ernest M. O'Brien, acting chief of police	1,089 14
James J. Fullum, patrolman	1,474 50
John C. Wilson, patrolman	1,571 25
Alphonse Calzone, patrolman	1,442 75
Ernest L. Bagley, patrolman	876 00
William J. Corbett, patrolman	732 00
James J. Birmingham, patrolman	1,301 00
Edward C. Beaulac, patrolman	238 00
Roland F. Milan, patrolman	297 50
Iginio A. Pantano, patrolman	907 00
Frank J. Davoren, patrolman	15 00
William J. Carley, patrolman	18 50
Special police duty, July 3-4	165 00
Raphael Marino, police duty	3 00
John J. Moloney, reimbursement for telephone bill	21 65
John F. Damon, labor on traffic signal	2 75
Iginio A. Pantano, painting cross-walks	33 85
W. P. Jones Elec. Co., labor on traffic signal	5 26
W. H. Casey's Motors, Ford Sedan	542 00
W. H. Casey's Motors, supplies	1 00
Motor Equipment Co., automobile supplies	43 85
Lincoln Square Garage, automobile supplies	14 75
Fahey's Tire and Service Station, automobile supplies	128 52
Dalrymple & Ryan, storage and automobile supplies	18 40
G. L. Dalrymple, storage and automobile supplies	63 40

John Begian, automobile hire .	\$ 7 50	
Charles Shavoogian, automobile hire	3 00	
Mary A. Carley, automobile hire .	3 00	
Dominick Gulbangian, automobile hire	14 00	
Gillon Bros, automobile hire .	2 50	
George A. Drew, automobile hire .	1 00	
Charles S. Brown, automobile hire	75	
Rouleau Bros, automobile storage and repairs	116 71	
Harry A. Webster, gasoline and oil	62 90	
Colonial Gasoline Supply Station, gasoline	1 45	
John H. Egan, insurance premium on automobile	50 30	
Milford Battery Service Station, battery service	1 75	
Main St. Battery Station, battery service	1 75	
G. M. Billings, printing	4 00	
W. E. Southland, lunches for prisoners	10 65	
C. & B. Express, trucking .	5 00	
The Portalite Co, one portalite .	40 00	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., service .	162 67	
	\$13,300 00	\$13,300 00

MEMORIAL DAY.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation \$ 430 00

EXPENDITURES.

Paid Herbert Parkhurst, Q. M. Post
 22, G. A. R. \$200 00
 John P. McGrath, Comman-
 der J. W. Powers Post, Amer-
 ican Legion 200 00

Millard J. Macuen, Spanish War
Veterans

30 00

 \$430 00

 \$430 00

TOWN DEBT.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation \$30,500 00

EXPENDITURES.

Paid Old Colony Trust Co., sewer-
age and school loans . . .

\$ 1,500 00

National Shawmut Bank, high-
way loans

12,000 00

Milford Savings Bank, school
loans

2,000 00

Commonwealth of Massachusetts,
sewerage loans

5,000 00

 \$30,500 00 \$30,500 00

INTEREST.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation \$18,500 00

From Reserve Fund, by vote of
Finance Committee . . .

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EXPENDITURES.

Paid Milford Savings Bank, on town
notes

\$ 8,068 37

Old Colony Trust Co., on sewer-
age and school loans . . .

3,321 79

National Shawmut Bank, on
highway loans

5,407 50

Commonwealth of Massachusetts,
sewerage loans

1,800 00

Balance unexpended

2 00

 \$18,599 66 \$18,599 66

PREMIUM ON WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION POLICY.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$1,000 00
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EXPENDITURES.

Paid Maryland Casualty Co., J. F. Hickey, agent	\$1,000 00	
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	\$1,000 00	\$1,000 00

PREMIUM ON TREASURER'S BOND.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$200 00
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EXPENDITURES.

Paid Mass Bonding Co., Peter B. Carron, agent	\$200 00	
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	\$200 00	\$200 00

PREMIUM ON TAX COLLECTOR'S BOND.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$250 00
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EXPENDITURES.

Paid U. S. Fidelity and Guaranty Co., W. J. Walker, agent	\$250 00	
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	\$250 00	\$250 00

CARE OF NORTH PURCHASE CEMETERY.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$50 00
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EXPENDITURES.

Paid Smith Fielding, labor	\$ 4 80	
North Purchase Cemetery Asso- ciation	45 20	
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	\$50 00	\$50 00

SECRETARY OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$50 00
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EXPENDITURES.

Paid William A. Murray, Secretary	\$50 00	
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	\$50 00	\$50 00

CARE OF GRAVES.

(Soldiers and Sailors.)

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$100 00
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EXPENDITURES.

Balance unexpended	\$100 00	
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	\$100 00	\$100 00

COST OF OPERATION OF HOPKINTON DIVISION
MILFORD & UXBRIDGE STREET RAILWAY.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$250 00
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EXPENDITURES.

Paid Town of Hopkinton for money expended in 1924	\$250 00	
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	\$250 00	\$250 00

TRAFFIC SIGNALS.

RECEIPTS.

By balance of appropriation of 1924	\$94 70
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EXPENDITURES.

Paid Lebanon Machine Co, A. C. Burleigh and R. B. Jacobs, Re- ceivers. Signal	\$94 70	
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	\$94 70	\$94 70

COUNTY AID TO AGRICULTURE.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$100 00
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EXPENDITURES.

Paid Trustees County Aid to Agriculture	\$100 00	
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	\$100 00	\$100 00

CEDAR STREET CONSTRUCTION, 1923.

RECEIPTS.

Received from Commonwealth of Massachusetts	\$100 00
Received from County of Worcester	100 00

EXPENDITURES.

Paid Milford Construction Co, balance due on contract	\$200 00	
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	\$200 00	\$200 00

CEDAR STREET CONSTRUCTION, 1923.

(Unpaid Bilt.)

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$461 51
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EXPENDITURES.

Paid Milford Construction Co., balance due on contract	\$461 51	
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	\$461 51	\$461 51

CEDAR STREET CONSTRUCTION, 1924.

RECEIPTS.

By unexpended balance Jan. 1, 1925	\$4,879 15
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	639 57
County of Worcester	639 57
Balance transferred from 1923 accounts	2 90

EXPENDITURES.

Paid Mass. Broken Stone Co., stone	\$2,391 38	
Barrett Co, tarvia	1,382 05	
Milford Construction Co., con- tractors	1,924 44	
Balance unexpended	463 32	
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	\$6,161 19	\$6,161 19

RENTAL AND MAINTENANCE OF HEADQUARTERS
FOR J. W. POWERS POST, AMERICAN LEGION.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation, year 1923.	\$800 00
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EXPENDITURES.

Balance unexpended	\$800 00	
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	\$800 00	\$800 00

PROVIDING GROUNDS FOR SMALL ARMS PRACTICE
FOR CO. I, 181ST INFANTRY, N. G.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation, year 1923	\$1,000 00
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EXPENDITURES.

Balance unexpended	\$1,000 00	
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	\$1,000 00	\$1,000 00

CARE OF TREES.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$1,000 00
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EXPENDITURES.

Paid Patrick F. Fitzgerald, tree warden	\$732 68
Joseph Cahill, labor	40 00
Patrick McGuigan, labor	125 00
James Fahey, labor	44 00
William Melvin, team hire	13 00

Waters & Hynes, carpenters,		
labor	\$2 65	
Clark Ellis & Sons, supplies .	2 50	
F. A. Gould, supplies . . .	39 17	
Balance unexpended . . .	1 00	
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	\$1,000 00	\$1,000 00

NEW TREES.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$100 00
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EXPENDITURES.

Paid Patrick F. Fitzgerald, tree		
warden	\$50 00	
Michael Curley, labor . . .	12 00	
Patrick McGuigan, labor . .	13 00	
L. E. Belknap, sharpening tools .	5 25	
James B. Edwards, team hire .	22 50	
Barton C. Emery, labor . . .	25 00	
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	\$100 00	\$100 00

GYPSY MOTH SUPPRESSION.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$500 00
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EXPENDITURES.

Paid Patrick F. Fitzgerald, super-		
intendent	\$288 25	
Michael Curley, labor . . .	184 00	
L. E. Belknap, sharpening tools	5 25	
James B. Edwards, team hire .	22 50	
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	\$500 00	\$500 00

RESERVE FUND.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriation	\$5,000 00
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EXPENDITURES.

[Authorized by vote of Finance Committee.]

Paid Appropriation for schools	\$1,600 00	
Appropriation for incidentals	600 00	
Appropriation for police department	1,300 00	
Appropriation for incidentals, fire department	300 00	
Appropriation for interest	99 66	
Appropriation for board of health	900 00	
Balance unexpended	200 34	
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	\$5,000 00	\$5,000 00

PHILIP CENEDELLA,
 THOMAS F. MALLOY,
 JOHN E. HIGGISTON,
 Selectmen of Milford.

REPORT OF THE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

January 4, 1926.

TO THE VOTERS OF THE TOWN OF MILFORD:—

I hereby submit my report as Highway Surveyor of the Town of Milford. Elected to and taking charge of the department March 3, 1925, and having as a balance on hand the expenditure of about \$39,000 of the general appropriation on highways to be expended from March 3 to December 31, 1925.

STREETS REBUILT WITH TRAP ROCK, TARVIA OR ASPHALT.

The following streets received from 3 to 6 inches of trap rock and were penetrated and sealed with either tarvia or asphalt, widened and drained, and should give excellent service for years to come. 1500 ton trap rock, 13,150 gals. asphalt, 7350 gals. tarvia X, 150 yds. sand, 4 culverts with basin, 100 ft. 12-inch pipe, and 400 yds. sub-grade material:—

Cedar St. section at Catholic cemetery, 750 ft. in length and 21 ft. wide.

Clark St. Entire street rebuilt, 243 ft. long, 16 ft. wide.

Claffin St. section near Franklin, 150 ft long and 20 ft. wide.

Fayette St. Entire street rebuilt, 780 ft. long, 18 ft. wide

Franklin St. section between Grove and Claffin, 300 ft. in length and 21 ft. wide.

Grove St. section between Franklin and Forest, 1100 ft in length and 21 ft. wide.

Prentice Ave. Entire street, 416 ft. in length, 18 ft. wide.

State St. Entire street, 446 ft. in length, 21 ft. wide.

7200 gals of tarvia was used to resurface the following

streets: Grant, Jefferson, Court, Main, Spruce, Walnut, Supple Square and part of East Main.

The following material was applied to the various gravel roads: 2546 yds. of gravel, 684 tons stones and 3329 yds. of cinders.

Madden Ave. and Whitney street were special appropriations and required considerable filling and excavating, also received 556 yds. of cinders, 850 yds. gravel and 250 ton cobble stones.

No. Bow and Congress streets were widened and resurfaced in sections, requiring 1300 gals. tarvia and asphalt and 250 ton of stone and sand.

714 yds. of stone and cold patch were used to keep the various macadam streets in condition.

16,000 gals. of road oil was applied to the various gravel or cinder streets.

2500 ft. of both open and covered drains and culverts were cleaned, also 18 new catch basins, 1365 ft. of 10 inch pipe, 136 ft of 12-inch pipe and 100 ft of 8-inch pipe were placed to construct new and repair old drains on the following streets: Cook, Cedar, Church, Congress, Grove, Grant, Mechanic, Purchase, West Spruce, West Walnut, Winter, West, Highland and Pond streets.

Road scraping, gutter cleaning, brush cutting, cleaning basins, painting and repairing signs and fences is a large item and requires considerable labor, and is quite an expense on the department.

BRIDGES.

Over 6000 ft. of 3-inch chestnut planking and many heavy stringers were used on the bridges. We were required to rebuild the Wood and Vernon Grove cemetery which are large ones, and repair most every other wooden bridge in town. I recommend that there should be at least one of these wooden bridges replaced with cement each year.

SIDEWALKS.

Bancroft Ave. New walk, concrete 396 yds.

Church St. New concrete walk 401 yds., 360 ft. new curbing, 30 yds. cinders for fill.

Chapin St. New bunters 350 ft., 60 yds. gravel for fill.

Central St. hill. Gutter repaved and bunters reset 200 ft. Resurfaced with 132 yds. concrete and reset 75 ft. curb.

Congress St. New concrete walk 482 yds., resurfacing tar walk 182 yds.

Forest St. Reset 100 ft bunters and 5 yds. cinders fill

Franklin St. New concrete walk 357 yds. and 30 yds. cinders for fill, also new walk with 700 ft. bunters.

Granite St. New concrete walk 160 yds., 100 ft. new curb and 17 yds. cinders fill.

Hayward St. New walk, 450 ft. bunters, 28 yds. gravel and 4 yds. cinders for fill.

Main. New concrete from near Taylor to Prospect, 2000 yds. concrete and 50 yds. cinders.

Lincoln St. New walk, 80 ft. bunters, and 15 yds. of cinders for fill.

Mechanic St. 100 ft. new bunters and 10 yds. cinders for fill.

Myrtle St. 150 ft. new bunters.

No. Bow. Resurfaced walk 100 yds., concrete.

Oliver St. Reset curb 200 ft.

Pearl St. New concrete walk 338 yds.

Pine St. New concrete walk 508 yds. and 6 yds. cinders for fill.

Prospect St. New bunters 150 ft.

Purchase St. Resurfacing walk 100 yds. and 15 yds. cinders for fill.

So. Bow St. New concrete walk 1000 yds., new curb and bunters 500 ft, and 40 yds. of cinders for filling.

School St. Resetting curb 175 ft, resurfacing walk 100

yds. and 30 yds. gravel, 10 yds. cinders, 2 yds. loam for filling.

Walnut St. New concrete walk 225 yds. and 10 yds. cinders for filling.

Water St. New concrete walk 105 yds. Reset 100 ft. bunters and 20 yds. cinders for fill.

West Spruce St. New curb 700 ft. and 25 yds. cinders for fill.

EDW. C. BEAULAC,
Highway Surveyor.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

GEORGE A. BARRY IN ACCOUNT WITH THE TOWN
OF MILFORD, MASS., AS TREASURER.

Dr.

To amounts received :—

Balance January 1, 1925 \$ 35,817 40

Money borrowed in anticipation of taxes for the
year 1925, as per vote of the town passed

March 7, 1924 390,000 00

Cedar street construction (1923 account) :—

Amount contributed by county

to and including December 31,

1925, toward cost of construc-

tion of Cedar street

\$100 00

Amount contributed by state to

and including December 31,

1925, toward cost of construc-

tion of Cedar street

100 00

200 00

Cedar street construction (1924 account):—

Amount contributed by county to

and including December 31,

1925, toward cost of construc-

tion of Cedar street

\$639 57

Amount contributed by state to

and including December 31,

1925, toward cost of construc-

tion of Cedar street

639 57

Balance in separate account in

Milford National Bank, trans-

ferred by vote of town on

March 6, 1925

2 90

1,282 04

Court Fees, Charles W. Gould, clerk of Third District Court of Southern Worcester, fines . . .	\$ 813 12
Charles River Valley Reclamation: Transferred by vote of town on October 28, 1925, from Surplus War Bonus Fund	3,600 00
Fines, House of Correction, Worcester	18 00
Highways :—	
Fred Casey, sale of two-horse dump cart	\$25 00
M. Sneiderman, sale of junk	12 00
William Melvin, sale of two wagons	15 00
Milford Water Co., for repair work	18 00
Milford Gas Light Co., trap rock	7 00
E. L. Sabatinelli, sewer connections	9 00
Peter Consigli, labor	9 00
Fr. Riordan, sale of 15 yds. cinders	15 00
H. S. Eldredge, concrete	3 00
M. Edwards, concrete	14 80
G. M. Greene, labor and materials	10 00
J. E. Bains, sidewalk	25 95
Guido Sabatinelli, sewer main connections	10 00
Mrs. C. L. Cushman, labor and materials	10 00
Dr. Noriy Miett, resurfacing sidewalk	6 00
Truelove Taylor, use of watering cart	6 50
Joseph Marcus, junk	1 00
V. Calabrese, sewer connections	13 00
John E. Higgiston, concreting	50 50
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	260 75
Interests on Deposits, Milford National Bank	269 87
Licenses :—	
Alcohol	9 00

Auctioneers	\$ 12 00
Auto agents	275 00
Bus	40 00
Bus operators	7 00
Carnival	25 00
Commissioner of Standards, Commonwealth of Massachusetts	285 00
Common victuallers	27 00
Innholders	7 00
Manicurists	5 00
Motor vehicle junk	30 00
Motorcycle dealers	10 00
Oleomargarine	3 00
Pool, billiard table and bowling	76 00
Retail liquor, third class	4 00
Second hand and junk dealers	80 00
Slaughter-house	2 00
Soda manufacturing	10 00
Sunday	310 00
Theatrical	175 00
Undertakers	7 00
Used car dealers	45 00
Lockup keys :—	
Ernest E. O'Brien	\$1 00
Roland Milan	1 00
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	2 00

Massachusetts, Treasurer of :—

Burial of indigent soldiers and sailors	\$ 240 00
Corporation tax, business	16,639 62
Corporation tax, public service	6,580 02
Income tax, 1922	110 50
Income tax, 1923	552 50
Income tax, 1924	884 00
Income tax, 1925	39,749 45
Military aid	56 00
Mothers with dependent children	5,622 42
National Bank tax	796 37

Soldiers' exemption . . .	\$ 31 75	
State aid	1,508 00	
Street railway tax . . .	1 90	
Smith-Hughes fund . . .	213 62	
State boxing commission .	16 51	
Temporary aid	2,300 85	
Transportation of paupers .	9 72	
Tuition of children . . .	1,637 37	
Vocational education . . .	1,759 29	
	<hr/>	\$78,709 89

Memorial Hall :—

Herbert Parkhurst, Q. M., rent and heating of G. A. R. Hall	76 00
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Miscellaneous :—

Milford Elec. Lt. & Pr. Co., re- bate on Fire Dept. check . . .	\$ 1 05	
The Franklin Sentinel, rebate for overcharge	5 25	
Town of Bellingham, for use of men and apparatus to fight brush fires	57 00	
Milford Water Co., rebate for overcharge	2 00	
Sale of old wagon by Fire Dept. .	20 00	
Edinburg Metal Co., taking up rails	500 00	
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Poor :—

Transferred from "Mothers' Aid"	\$2,000 00	
Overseers of Poor, Town Farm income	4,028 15	
Town of Hopkinton	995 65	
Town of Hopedale	844 00	
Town of Franklin	60 00	
City of Gloucester	125 20	
	<hr/>	8,053 00

Poor, Mothers' Aid :—City of Brockton	173 33
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Reserve Fund :—

For board of health . . .	\$ 900 00	
For fire incidentals . . .	300 00	
For incidentals . . .	600 00	
For interest . . .	99 66	
For police . . .	1,300 00	
For schools . . .	1,600 00	
	<hr/>	\$4,799 66

Schools :—

A. O. Caswell, superintendent, for tuition fees and miscellaneous receipts	\$ 625 70	
Town of Hopedale . . .	2 40	
Town of Holliston . . .	5 60	
City of Boston . . .	270 58	
Town of Bellingham . . .	1,269 79	
Underwood Typewriter Co, re- bate for overpayment . . .	3 25	
	<hr/>	2,177 32

Sealer of Weights and Measures, Daniel M. O'Brien	136 40
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Sewerage :—

Town of Hopedale, flushing sew- ers	\$ 35 00	
Milford Elec. Lt. and Power Co, rebate	7 31	
Town of Hopedale, sewer assess- ments	130 00	
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Tax Collector :—

M. J. Carbary, taxes of 1921 . .	\$ 65 00
M. J. Carbary, taxes of 1922 . .	8,676 64
M. J. Carbary, taxes of 1923 . .	32,515 03
M. J. Carbary, taxes of 1924 . .	80,514 99
M. J. Carbary, taxes of 1925 . .	283,274 23
M. J. Carbary, poll taxes of 1922 . .	1,865 00
M. J. Carbary, poll taxes of 1923 . .	515 00
M. J. Carbary, poll taxes of 1924 . .	724 00

M. J. Carbary, poll taxes of 1925	\$5,900 00	
M. J. Carbary, street sprinkling taxes of 1922	103 05	
M. J. Carbary, street sprinkling taxes of 1923	242 92	
M. J. Carbary, street sprinkling taxes of 1924	304 57	
M. J. Carbary, street oil tax, 1925	667 26	
M. J. Carbary, sewerage assess- ments	1,117 29	
	<hr/>	\$416,484 98
Town Hall: Daniel M. O'Brien		1,165 00
Town Histories, sale of:—		
John Corbett	\$1 00	
Mrs. Herbert Eldredge	1 00	
	<hr/>	2 00
Town Library, fines		230 42
Vernon Grove Cemetery:—		
Income from cemetery	\$1,292 00	
Interest on cemetery fund on de- posit in Milford Savings Bank	728 90	
Interest on cemetery fund on de- posit in Home National Bank	38	
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Watering streets: Cost of water to be assessed to abutters		900 00
Worcester County, Treasurer of:—		
Dog tax for 1924	\$1,511 41	
Rent of court room for 1924	700 00	
Ten per cent cost of Town Hall vault for year ending December 31, 1924	93 90	
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		\$951,699 38

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By amounts paid:—

Money borrowed in anticipation of taxes for the year 1924, as per vote of town passed March 5, 1923	\$ 90,000 00
Money borrowed in anticipation of taxes for the year 1925, as per vote of town passed March 7, 1924	300,000 00
Board of health, general	4,699 98
Board of health, dental clinic	2,297 00
Care of trees and shrubs	999 00
Cedar street construction (1923)	200 00
Cedar street construction (1924)	5,697 87
Cedar street construction (unpaid bills of 1923)	461 51
Central street drain	1,570 00
Charles River Valley Reclamation	1,797 58
Cost of water to be assessed to abutters	900 00
County aid to agriculture	100 00
Court fees, Chapter 204, R. L.	87 30
Fire, incidentals	3,296 02
Fire, pay of members	11,520 00
Fire, increase in pay	1,400 00
Fire, repairs	600 00
Fire, brush fires	196 10
Fire, new hose	995 00
Fire, new alarm box, Franklin and Claflin streets	143 52
Fire, new alarm box, Central and East streets	191 68
Gypsy moth suppression	500 00
Highways	45,949 51
Highways, new truck	4,920 21
Highways, new tractor	2,000 00
Highways, unpaid bills of 1924	5,179 75
Hydrant, Emmons street	14 55
Incidentals	5,991 38
Interest	18,597 66
Madden avenue, repairs	1,000 00
Massachusetts, Treasurer of:—	
Corporation tax, Domestic	\$ 104 72

Corporation tax, Public Service	\$	2	46	
Repairs of state highways		2,713	32	
Retail liquor licenses, one fourth		1	00	
State tax		29,640	00	
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				\$32,461 50
Memorial Day			430	00
Memorial Hall			1,054	44
Military aid			147	00
North Purchase cemetery			50	00
Planting new trees			100	00
Police			13,300	00
Poor, general			27,934	79
Poor, unpaid bills of 1924			437	94
Poor, painting town farm buildings			799	70
Poor, mothers' aid			18,302	90
Poor, mothers' aid, unpaid bills of 1924			85	00
Premium on compensation policy			1,000	00
Premium on tax collector's bond			250	00
Premium on treasurer's bond			200	00
Refund, town of Hopkinton, towards cost of op- erating M. & U. St. Ry.			250	00
Reserve fund			4,799	66
Salaries			16,674	20
Schools			177,087	11
Secretary of finance commission			50	00
Sewerage, maintenance			7,409	34
Sewerage, filter system			1,910	44
Sewerage, new construction			5,825	77
Sewerage, unpaid bills of 1924			1,107	95
Sidewalks			5,000	00
Soldiers' relief			3,868	90
State aid			1,134	00
Street lights			16,705	96
Street lights, Ferguson street			31	50
Street lights, W. Fountain and Highland streets			72	00
Street lights, Beaver street			54	00
Surplus war bonus fund			3,600	00

Town Debt:—

Note, 4 (payable in gold) due Sept. 1, 1925, (Plains school loan)	\$1,000 00	
Note 4, (payable in gold) due July 7, 1925, (Claflin school loan)	1,000 00	
Bonds, sewer, 4 (payable in gold) due Oct. 1, 1925	5,000 00	
Bonds, sewer, 4 (payable in gold) due Oct. 1, 1925	2,000 00	
Bonds, sewer, 4 (payable in gold) due Nov. 1, 1925	2,000 00	
Bonds, sewer, 4 (payable in gold) due Oct. 1, 1925	2,000 00	
Bonds, 4 (payable in gold) due Nov. 1, 1925, (George E. Stacy school house loan)	4,000 00	
Bonds, 5 (payable in gold), sewer, er, due May 1, 1925	2,000 00	
Bonds, sewer, $5\frac{3}{4}$ (payable in gold) due July 1, 1925	1,500 00	
Bonds, highways, $4\frac{1}{4}$ (payable in gold) due Sept. 1, 1925	2,000 00	
Bonds, sewers, $4\frac{1}{4}$ (payable in gold) due Sept. 1, 1925	3,000 00	
Bonds, sewer, $4\frac{1}{4}$ (payable in gold) due Sept. 1, 1925	2,000 00	
Bonds, $4\frac{1}{2}$, highways, (payable in gold) due July 15, 1925	3,000 00	
	<hr/>	\$30,500 00
Town Hall . . . . .	.	2,994 55
Town Hall, painting interior . . . . .	.	1,185 00
Town Library . . . . .	.	3,497 67
Town Parks . . . . .	.	1,770 23
Town Parks, skating surface . . . . .	.	562 00
Town Parks, playgrounds . . . . .	.	650 00
Town Parks, unpaid bills of 1924 . . . . .	.	49 68

Traffic signals	\$ 94 70
Vernon Grove cemetery	2,313 46
Water for fire purposes	7,966 67
Watering streets	3,000 00
Whitney street	1,000 00
Worcester County, Treasurer of: County tax for 1925	19,665 00

Balances, Dec. 31, 1925:—

Central street drain	\$ 677 41
Charles River Valley Reclama- tion	1,802 42
Cedar street construction (1924)	463 32
Dominick street sewer	500 00
Headquarters for J. W. Powers Post, A. L.	800 00
Highways, unpaid bills of 1924	746 87
Highways, new truck	79 79
Highways, new tractor	150 00
Hydrant, Emmons street	35 45
New fire alarm box, Franklin and Claflin streets	56 48
New fire alarm box, Central and East streets	8 32
Poor, painting town farm build- ings	30
Rifle grounds for Co. C, 181 Regt. Inf., N. G (Sec. 42, Chap. 33, G. L.)	1,000 00
Sewerage extension, Hayward street ,	12 38
Sewerage, filter system	1,590 37
Sewerage, new construction	291 52
Sewerage, unpaid bills of 1924	2 32
Street lights, Ferguson street	22 50
Street lights, W. Fountain and Highland streets	56 00
Town Hall, painting interior	15 00
Street lights, Beaver street	72 00

Smith-Hughes fund (1924)	.	\$	166	86	
Smith-Hughes fund (1925)	.		213	62	
Surplus War Bonus fund	.		3,293	99	
Cash	.		10,954	68	
					\$23,011 60
					\$951,699 38

TOWN DEBT.

Note, (4) due September 1, 1926	.	.	\$	1,000	00
Note, (4) due July 7, 1926	.	.		1,000	00
Bonds, (4's) Sewerage, due \$7,000 annually, October 1, 1926 to October 1, 1933, inclusive				77,000	00
Bonds, (4's) Sewerage, due \$2,000 annually, November 1, 1926, to November 1, 1933, inclusive	.	.		16,000	00
Bonds, (4's) Sewerage, due October 1, 1926	.			2,000	00
Bonds, (5's) Sewerage, due \$2,000 annually, May 1, 1926, to May 1, 1929, inclusive	.	.		8,000	00
Bonds, (4's) Stacy school loan, due \$4,000 annually, November 1, 1926, to November 1, 1930, inclusive	.	.		20,000	00
Bonds, (4's) Stacy school loan, due \$3,000 annually, November 1, 1931, to November 1, 1933, inclusive	.	.		15,000	00
Bonds, (5 $\frac{3}{4}$'s) Sewerage, due \$1,000 annually, July 1, 1926, to July 1, 1931, inclusive	.	.		6,000	00
Bonds, (4 $\frac{1}{4}$'s) Highways, due \$2,000 annually, September 1, 1926, and September 1, 1927				4,000	00
Bonds, (4 $\frac{1}{4}$'s) Sewerage, due \$3,000 annually, September 1, 1926, and September 1, 1927				6,000	00
Bonds, (4 $\frac{1}{4}$'s) Sewerage, due \$2,000 annually, September 1, 1928, to September 1, 1932, inclusive	.	.		50,000	00
Bonds, (4 $\frac{1}{4}$'s) Sewerage, due \$2,000 annually, September 1, 1926, to September 1, 1932, inclusive	.	.		14,000	00

Bonds, ($4\frac{1}{2}$'s) Highways, due \$3,000 annually, July 15, 1926, and July 15, 1927 . . .	\$6,000 00
Note ($4\frac{1}{4}$) Charles River Valley Reclamation, due April 1, 1926	2,400 00
Notes, ($4\frac{1}{4}$'s) Charles River Valley Reclamation, due \$2,000 annually, April 1, 1927, and April 1, 1928	4 000 00
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	\$232,400 00
Note, (5) Temporary loan, due April 1, 1926 . . .	10,000 00
Note, (5) Temporary loan, due April 1, 1926 . . .	10,000 00
Note, (5) Temporary loan, due May 1, 1926 . . .	10,000 00
Note, (5) Temporary loan, due May 1, 1926 . . .	20,000 00
Note, (5) Temporary loan, due June 1, 1926 . . .	10,000 00
Note, (5) Temporary loan, due June 1, 1926 . . .	10,000 00
Note, (5) Temporary loan, due July 1, 1926 . . .	10,000 00
Note, (5) Temporary loan, due July 1, 1926 . . .	10,000 00
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	\$322,400 00

TREASURER'S REPORT OF CEMETERY FUNDS.

Money given Town of Milford for perpetual care of burial lots in Vernon Grove cemetery, under the provisions of the Revised Laws of Massachusetts:—

E. Otis Reid, for care of lot No. 306 $\frac{1}{2}$, Maple Avenue	\$100 00
Mrs. A. C. Eldredge, for care of lot No. 863	100 00
Mrs. Marcia E. Ide, for care of lot No. 736 . . .	100 00
Clark Ellis, for care of lot No. 106 . . .	100 00
For care of David Fisher lot No. 132 . . .	100 00
Walter J. Davis estate, for care of lot No. 926	100 00
Mrs. Alice M. Boggs, for care of lot No. 797 $\frac{1}{2}$	100 00
Mrs. L. G. Belliveau, for care of lot No. 103	100 00
S. Emma Cook, for care of Phineas N.	

Cook lot No. 601	\$100 00
Charles A. Waterhouse estate, for care of lot No. 518	100 00
George H. Schultz, for care of lot No. 188	100 00
Viola F. Leland, for care of lot No. 845	100 00
	<hr/> \$ 1,200 00
Cemetery funds on deposit in Milford Savings Bank, December 31, 1924	16,031 18
Accumulated interest on Cemetery funds from October 10, 1924, to October 10, 1925, (Mil- ford Savings Bank)	728 90
Accumulated interest on Cemetery funds on deposit in Home National Bank to August 1, 1925	38
	<hr/> <hr/> \$17,960 46
Withdrawn from Milford Savings Bank interest for 1925 and paid over to trustees of Vernon Grove Cemetery	728 90
	<hr/> <hr/> \$17,231 56
Withdrawn from Home National Bank interest for 1925 and paid over to trustees of Vernon Grove Cemetery	38
	<hr/> <hr/> \$17,231 18
Balance on deposit, Milford Savings Bank, December 31, 1925	\$16,431 18
Balance on deposit, Home National Bank, December 31, 1925	800 00
	<hr/> \$17,231 18

TOWN HISTORY ACCOUNT.

Copies (unbound) on hand January 1, 1925	56
Copies (unbound) sold	2
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Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE A BARRY,

Treasurer.

COLLECTOR'S REPORT.

GENERAL TAX.

1922—DR.

Amount uncollected, report Jan. 1,		
1924	\$7,154 81	
Interest	472 42	
Cash on hand	1,554 89	
	<hr/>	\$9,182 12

CR.

Paid George A. Barry, treasurer .	\$8,676 64	
Abatements	505 48	
	<hr/>	\$9,182 12

1922—POLL TAX.

DR.

Amount uncollected, Jan. 1, 1924 .	\$2,948 00	
Cash on hand	160 00	
	<hr/>	\$3,108 00

CR.

Paid George A. Barry, treasurer .	\$1,865 00	
Abatements	1,243 00	
	<hr/>	\$3,108 00

GENERAL TAX.

1923—DR.

Amount uncollected, Jan. 1, 1924 .	\$34,069 51	
Interest	2,314 26	
	<hr/>	\$ 36,383 77

CR.

Paid George A. Barry, treasurer .	\$32,515 03	
Abatements	42 90	
Amount uncollected Dec. 30, 1925 .	3,825 84	
	<hr/>	\$36,383 77

1923—POLL TAX.

Amount uncollected Jan. 1, 1924	\$2,795 00
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CR.

Paid George A. Barry, treasurer	\$ 515 00
Amount uncollected Dec. 30, 1925	2,280 00
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	\$2,795 00

GENERAL TAX.

1924—DR.

Amount uncollected Jan. 1, 1924	\$125,824 30
Interest	3,008 54
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	\$128,832 84

CR.

Paid George A. Barry, treasurer	\$80,514 99
Abatements	437 76
Amount uncollected Dec. 30, 1925	47,880 09
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	\$128,832 84

1924—POLL TAX.

DR.

Amount uncollected	\$2,394 00
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CR.

Paid George A. Barry, treasurer	\$ 724 00
Amount uncollected Dec. 30, 1925	1,670 00
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	\$2,394 00

GENERAL TAX.

1925—DR.

Amount committed	\$418,140 44
Interest	186 84
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	\$418,327 28

CR.

Paid George A. Barry, treasurer	\$283,274 23
Abatements	837 80
Amount uncollected Dec. 30, 1925	134,215 25
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	\$418,327 28

1925—POLL TAX.

Amount committed		\$8,530 00
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CR.

Paid George A. Barry, treasurer .	\$5,900 00	
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Abatements	2 00	
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Amount uncollected Dec. 30, 1925 .	2,628 00	
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	<u> </u>	\$8,530 00
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STREET SPRINKLING TAX.

1922—DR.

Amount uncollected Jan. 1, 1924 .	\$185 27	
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Cash on hand	70 53	
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	<u> </u>	\$255 80
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CR.

Paid George A. Barry, treasurer .	\$103 05	
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Abatements	152 75	
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	<u> </u>	\$255 80
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1923—DR.

Amount uncollected Jan. 1, 1924 .		\$326 12
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CR.

Paid George A. Barry, treasurer .	\$242 92	
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Amount uncollected Dec. 30, 1925	83 20	
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	<u> </u>	\$326 12
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1924—DR.

Amount uncollected Jan. 1, 1924 .		\$466 51
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CR.

Paid George A. Barry, treasurer .	\$304 57	
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Amount uncollected Dec 30, 1925	161 94	
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	<u> </u>	\$466 51
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1925—DR.

Amount committed		\$1,073 23
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CR.

Paid George A. Barry, treasurer .	\$667 26	
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Amount uncollected Dec 30, 1925	405 97	
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	<u> </u>	\$1,073 23
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SEWER ASSESSMENTS.

Dr.

Amount uncollected, report Jan. 1,		
1924	\$3,832 60	
Amount committed since Jan. 1, 1925	2,045 61	
Interest	46 61	
	<hr/>	\$5,924 82

Cr.

Paid George A. Barry, treasurer .	\$1,117 29	
Amount uncollected, payable 1925		
to 1935, inclusive	\$4,807 53	
	<hr/>	\$5,924 82

MATTHEW J. CARBARY,
Tax Collector.

ASSESSORS' REPORT.

Town appropriations	\$466,288 12
State tax	29,640 00
State highway tax	2,713 32
County tax	19,665 00

Amount to raise	\$518,306 44
Estimated income, plus poll tax.....	106,323 44

Net amount to raise.....	\$411,983 00
Overlay	6,157 44

Tax on real, personal and overlay.....	\$418,140 44
Poll tax money at (\$2.00)	8,530 00

Total tax collector's book, Oct. 1st.....	\$426,670 44
Additional levy Dec. 20th, 1925.....	None
Total tax warrant Dec. 20th, 1925.....	\$426,670 44

VALUATIONS

Buildings, excluding land	\$9,189,520 00
Land, excluding buildings	2,747,025 00

Total real estate	\$11,936,545 00
Total personal estate	2,786,710 00

Total valuation of Town for 1925.....	\$14,723,255 00
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TAX IN MONEY

Real estate	\$338,997 88
Personal estate	79,142 56
Assessed polls at \$2.00	8,530 00

Amount on warrant Oct. 1, 1925.....	\$426,670 44
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Amount levied between Dec. 10th and 20th, 1925	None
Tax rate	\$28 40
Number of polls	4,265
Number of horses	152
Number of cows	302
Number of neat cattle.....	14
Number of swine	48
Number of fowl, 3,925; value.....	\$5,425 00
Number of dwellings	3,227
Number of acres of land, 8,504 acres; and 21,780 sq. ft.	

ESTIMATED INCOME FOR 1925.

Interest on deposits	\$1,001 70
Interest on deferred taxes.....	4,426 62
Dog tax	1,511 41
Rent of court room (1924)	700 00
Rent of Town vault	93 90
Military aid	61 00
Mothers with dependent children.....	6,377 43
National Bank tax	1,756 26
Street railway tax	1 67
Soldiers' exemptions	85 60
State aid	1,698 00
Temporary aid	2,463 59
Tuition of children	3,484 62
Memorial Hall	76 00
Town Farm income.....	4,108 50
Town of Hopedale	951 75
Reimbursement from other Towns.....	981 36
Reimbursement from other Towns (schools)	1,505 26
Sealer of weights and measures.....	132 33
Town Hall	1,250 00
Town histories (sale of)	3 00
Town park	8 55
Court fees	683 00
Highways	432 50

Incidentals	1,443 72
Miscellaneous licenses	1,086 18
Commissioner of Standards ("Com. W. of Mass.")	152 00
Corporation tax, public service.....	5,866 87
Corporation tax, business	17,093 54
Income tax for 1922 and prior years....	505 63
Income tax for 1923	1,436 50
Income tax for 1924	2,099 50
Income tax for 1925, Schools and General Fund	34,315 45
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Total estimated income.....	\$97,793 44
4,265 poll taxes at \$2.00	8,530 00
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	\$106,323 44

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM F. CLANCY,
 FREDERICK W. HOLLAND,
 FREDERICK A. NEALON,
 Assessors of Milford.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH.

The Health Department presents herewith its annual report for the year ending December 31, 1925.

There are at least three common diseases that can be prevented. Any case of these diseases in your family means that available methods have not been used.

(1) Smallpox may be prevented through vaccination. Recently smallpox has been widely spread over the country and in some places it has been of the malignant type.

(2) Typhoid fever may be prevented through the periodic injection of typhoid vaccine. "Vacation" typhoid is mounting with the increased crowding of the country.

(3) All your family can be protected against diphtheria. Your private physician will explain how.

Diseases of middle life due to "wear and tear," such as Bright's disease, arteriosclerosis, cancer and diabetes are increasing. These diseases can be combatted by corrected habits and early recognition. Periodic health examinations at all ages may save you from or mitigate these diseases.

There were no serious epidemics of contagious diseases, but 138 cases of measles were reported during the year. This disease, although lightly considered by many of the laity, is one of our most contagious, and its aftermaths are serious, pneumonia or eye and ear troubles often resulting. One reason for its rapid spread among school children is because the contagious stage is previous to the rash, and is often mistaken for light colds.

Sixteen cases of tuberculosis were reported, an increase of four over last year.

The number of diphtheria cases reported this year shows an increase of eleven over last year. Had the sug-

gestion of the Health Board in 1924 regarding the Schick-ing of school children been acted on, many of these would have been avoided.

On May 1st, 1925, a contract was made with Rutland and the Worcester County commissioners to care for all county tubercular cases for \$17.50 per week. Towns and cities pay to the commissioners \$7.00 per week, and legal residence must be established before admission. This is an increase of \$3.00 a week over previous years and will necessitate a larger appropriation for tubercular care. The local dispensary through its physician and nurse has made every effort to get in touch with contacts and suspicious cases not under care of a physician. Their work can be greatly aided by the co-operation of physicians and school nurse. Forty-seven new patients have been examined at the clinics held on Tuesday afternoon and Friday from 7:30 to 8:30 P. M.

On May 16th, William Gallagher was appointed meat inspector to assist James J. Fullum.

The collections of garbage, papers, ashes and disposal of dead animals should be under the jurisdiction of the Highway Department, in the opinion of the Health Board and we so recommend. On May 15th Mr. John Casey was awarded the contract to collect the garbage for the Town for the sum of \$1,200 and was bonded for the faithful performance of his work.

The Board further recommends the extension of the sewer on Lawrence Street, as it did in the report of last year, as we have had two outbreaks of typhoid fever on that street.

A petition submitted to the Department of Public Health and referred to the State Department of Agriculture, concerning the conditions of the Charles River, resulted in a notice being sent to all interested Milford citizens of a meeting to be held in Dewey hall, April 25th, 1925. At this time a local Reclamation Board was formed as provided in Chapter 252 of the General Laws of Mas-

sachusetts and amendments thereof, and conforming to Chapter 457 of the acts of 1923.

Object—To dredge and straighten where necessary, and do away with flooding conditions along the banks of the Charles River to abutters, and make conditions as sanitary as possible.

The members appointed to serve on this Board by the State were: F. H. Lally, Chairman; F. P. Lee, George H. Locke, P. L. Lally, Philip Cenedella, Gilbert C. Eastman, Clerk.

At a special Town meeting held August 3rd it was voted to allow the Town to borrow \$10,000 for this purpose. Due to a technicality in the motion as presented, it was necessary to call another meeting, which was done on October 28, when the following vote was taken:

Voted: That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$10,000.00 for the purpose of improving the unsanitary conditions in the Charles River valley, the money to be expended by the Board of Health in carrying out the plans of the Milford Reclamation District under the direction of the State Reclamation Board, and that to meet said appropriation, there be appropriated from the surplus war bonus fund, so called, the sum of \$3,600.00, and the treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow the sum of \$6,400.00 and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefor, said bonds or notes to be payable in accordance with the provisions of Section 19 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws so that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than five years from the date of issue of the first bond or note or at such earlier dates as the treasurer and selectmen may determine.

Let me here commend the unanimous action taken by the Sgt. John W. Powers Post of the American Legion to relinquish all moral rights to the surplus war bonus fund, so called, and whole-heartedly assented to its use for civic

betterment by the Reclamation Board for dredging the Charles River.

The contract for the work was awarded to Antone & Ransome of Greenfield on November 3rd, as their bid of \$7,707 was the lowest. Other bids submitted were True-love Taylor of Milford for \$9,430, and Mr. Abell Stevens of Waltham for \$10,420.

Expenses to date are as follows:

C. A. Blaisdell, advertisement in Boston Globe	\$29 60
Chamber of Commerce, taxi for State Reclamation Board, blueprints and stenographer service, printing of warrants, envelopes, stamps and registered letters.....	46 97
Oscar Ayotte, telephone.....	1 40
F. H. Lally, telephone and postage.....	1 00
Gilbert C. Eastman:	.
3 sets of blueprints.....	11 07
Trip to Boston	5 00
James Luchini, C. E.:	
Services for surveying.....	700 00
Services for self and assistants, blueprints, and telephone calls	350 18
F. A. Turner, stamp.....	5 50
Antone & Ransome, contractors.....	394 86
Antone & Ransome, second payment.....	252 00
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	\$1,797 58

CONTAGIOUS AND INFECTIOUS DISEASES, 1925.

	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	TOTALS.
Lob. Pneumonia	1	1	1			2					2	1	8
Chicken pox			4		2								6
Diphtheria		2	4	2			1	1	1			2	13
Germ'n measles	14	69	50	5									138
Mumps	1									2			3
Scarlet fever	2	1	1	2	2	5		1	1	5	14	8	42
Measles	2		2	4	12	2		3		1			26
Pul. T. B.			2	4	2	5	1	1				1	16
Other forms						1							1
Typhoid		1											1
Whooping cough	8	1	4					3	1		1		18
Trachoma					1								1
Gonorrhoea				3				1	1			1	6
Syphilis									1			1	2
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LICENSES GRANTED, 1925.

Undertakers:—

J. B. Edwards.....	\$1 00	
A. Heroux	1 00	
W. W. Watson	1 00	
S. C. J. Quirk	1 00	
Ed. F. Harrington	1 00	
A. De Pasquale & Co.	1 00	
George Wood	1 00	
		\$7 00

Alcohol:—

H. S. Chadbourne	\$1 00
T. E. Morse Co.	1 00
Clark Ellis & Sons	1 00

Eldredge & Son	1 00	
F. A. Gould	1 00	
F. Hannaford	1 00	
Madison Station	1 00	
A. S. Antolini	1 00	
Pasquale Nargi	1 00	
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Manicurists:—

Florence Leahey	\$1 00	
Margaret Gracien	1 00	
Margaret Walpole	1 00	
Catherine Rogers	1 00	
Edith Galley	1 00	
	<hr/>	\$5 00

Slaughterers:—

A. Rosenfeld	\$1 00	
C. Cavigili	1 00	
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Soda Manufacturer:—

Visconti & Vitali	\$10 00
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DENTAL CLINIC EXPENSES.

Salaries to the Physicians	\$2,000 00
Rent	150 00
Supplies	101 03
Printing	7 67
Insurance	38 30

\$2,297 00

Expended	\$2,297 00
Balance	103 00

Appropriation	\$2,400 00
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EXPENDITURES

Lakeville Sanitarium	\$39 10
Worcester County commissioners.....	1,078 00
Rutland Sanitarium	378 20
Westfield Sanitarium	5 00

Homeopathic Hospital	101 00
Massachusetts General Hospital	10 38
Edward Ober, garbage collection.....	374 97
John Casey, garbage collection.....	775 00
J. J. Fullum, meat inspector.....	86 00
William Gallagher, meat inspector.....	300 00
Dr. Benjamin F. Hartman, meat inspector..	125 00
J. J. Birmingham, sanitary inspector.....	300 50
Home Board of Tuberculosis Cases.....	204 00
Anti-typhoid inoculations	20 00
Blood test	3 00
Stone & Forsythe, sputum cups.....	3 00
Associations of Boards of Health.....	2 00
Francis Drugan, labor on Godfrey Brook...	20 00
Physician fees in contagious cases.....	31 00
Burying of dead animals.....	22 50
Dispensary expenses:	
Rent	72 00
Nurse	75 00
Physician	200 00
Board of Health Nurse, Mary L. Wilson	200 00
Thos. Reed & Co., supplies.....	7 10
Postage stamps	1 00
Dr. F. H. Lally, reimbursement for telephone, supplies and postage	12 52
Vaccination of school children.....	50 00
Transportation to Rutland Sanitarium.....	15 00
Clerk of Board, Dr. F. H. Lally.....	100 00
Paul Doane, serving writ	1 20
Charlescraft Press	50
Fred Wood, Upton, drug supplies.....	2 25
G. M. Billings	2 00
J. L. McTiernan, auto hire for dairy inspec- tion	25 00
M. J. Quinlan, reimbursement for dairy in- spection	18 50
Milford Daily News	8 25
American Public Health Association.....	5 00

Hobbs & Warren	4 64
Clark Ellis & Sons	25
J. Allen Rice Co.	11 07
A. H. Sweet	10 05
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	\$4,699 98
Expended	\$4,699 98
Balance	100 02
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General Appropriation	\$4,800 00

REPORT OF INSPECTORS OF MEATS AND PROVISIONS.

To the Honorable Board of Health:

Gentlemen:—Herewith we present the following report of the Meats and Provisions Department.

During the year ending December 31, 1925, there have been two slaughter-houses, legally licensed, in operation, killing cattle, calves, hogs, and sheep.

In the past year there have been 1,263 cattle, 2,637 calves, 644 hogs and 25 sheep slaughtered.

During the year fruit and peddlers' teams and markets and fruit stores have been inspected and found in most cases complying with the laws.

JAMES J. FULLUM,

Inspector of Meats and Provisions.

WILLIAM E. GALLAGHER,

Asst. Inspector of Meats and Provisions.

DENTAL REPORT.

The report of the operating at the Milford Dental Clinic for the year ending December 31, 1925, shows an increase in the number of visits over the previous year. The children are taking more interest in the Clinic apparently. The Clinic has been open throughout the school year.

The account of the operations, together with the financial statement, follows:

Extractions, deciduous teeth.....	1,148
Extractions, permanent teeth	188
Treatments	303
Fillings, deciduous teeth	733
Fillings, permanent teeth.....	982
Prophylaxis.....	663
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Total Number Operations.....	4,017
Total Number Patients	1,839
Total amount collected from children.....	\$135 08
Balance on hand January 1, 1924.....	24 06
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	\$159 14
Expenses for year ending December 31, 1925	122 20
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Balance on hand December 31, 1925.....	\$36 94
The expenses were as follows:	
Gibney Linen Supply Co.	\$43 93
Cleaning office	25 50
Electric Light & Gas Co.	24 17
W. P. Clarke, printing	4 00
S. S. White Co.	13 00
Miscellaneous supplies	11 60
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	\$122 20

WILLIAM J. CLANCY, D.M.D.,
FRANCIS X. KELLEY, D.D.S.,
Clinicians.

REPORT OF PLUMBING INSPECTOR.

The following permits for plumbing were granted for the year 1925:

Water closets	112
Lavatories	76
Bath tubs	63

Sinks	87
Wash trays	34
Domestic hot water boilers.....	91
After being inspected the above work was accepted.	

J. E. HIGGISTON,
M. J. QUINLAN,
Inspectors.

Respectfully submitted,

MAURICE J. QUINLAN, Chairman,
OSCAR AYOTTE,
FRANCIS H. LALLY, M.D., Secretary.

MILFORD TOWN LIBRARY.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF THE TOWN LIBRARY.

December 31, 1925.

To the Citizens of Milford:

I have the honor to present the report of the trustees of the Town Library for the year ending December 31, 1925.

Since the last annual report, we have experienced the loss of our faithful librarian and fellow trustee, Nathaniel F. Blake. Mr. Blake had been a member of the library trustees for 51 years and had served faithfully as librarian for 45 years. He was especially interested in the progress of the library and the people of Milford have lost a loyal servant. At the time that this report is going to print, it is pleasing to say that the trustees are about to hang two pictures, one of the late Patrick E. Sweeney, the other of Mr. Blake, in the library room, as a mark of the esteem in which they were held.

During the past year, it has been the good fortune of the trustees to have more funds available for the use of the library. Consequently, it was found possible to increase the salaries of those engaged in the library work and to offer better accommodations to our many visitors.

The circulation of the library during 1925 was much greater than that of last year and the increase in the circulation during the past ten years shown in the statistics in other parts of this report connotes a healthy condition in the library circulation. This annual increase has required a larger library staff. More people than ever have visited our reading room and made use of the large amount of reading matter found there. The school children are interested in reading and that naturally will aid them in furthering the ambitions of their teachers. It would aid greatly to be able to secure more new books

annually, but the trustees cannot hope to do so until \$200 or \$300 more is appropriated for library purposes.

As recommended last year, our library should be open daily and the stacks should be accessible to the public, but such recommendations cannot be carried out until such time as the community feels that a larger expenditure of money will be possible.

Very truly yours,

THOMAS J. NUGENT, D.M.D.,
Chairman of Library Trustees.

REPORT OF THE SECRETARY OF THE TRUSTEES OF MILFORD TOWN LIBRARY.

Year Ending December 31, 1925.

RECEIPTS.

Appropriation	\$1,700 00
Dog tax for 1924	1,511 41
Unexpended balance of 1924.....	322 16
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	\$3,533 57

EXPENDITURES.

Cataloguing	\$12 42
Sundries	4 36
Painting	50 00
Light	89 00
Express	13 81
Salaries	1,974 92
Supplies	80 42
Building of new book stack.....	138 50
Binding of books	231 45
Books	662 79
Care of library	240 00
Balance on hand	35 90
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	\$3,533 57

T. J. QUIRK,
Secretary.

TRUSTEES.

Dr. Thomas J. Nugent	Term expires 1926
Thomas J. Quirk	Term expires 1926
*Nathaniel F. Blake	Term expires 1927
Nathan W. Heath	Term expires 1927
George W. Wood	Term expires 1928
Stephen H. Reynolds	Term expires 1928
†Charles A. Blaisdell	Term expires 1926

*Deceased February 27, 1925.

†Elected to fill vacancy.

ORGANIZATION.

Dr. Thomas J. Nugent, Chairman

Thomas J. Quirk, Secretary

*Nathaniel F. Blake, Librarian

‡Ethelwyn Blake, Librarian

*Deceased February 27, 1925.

‡Elected in March, 1925.

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN.

To the Trustees of the Town Library:

Gentlemen:—I submit herewith the sixty-seventh annual report of the library, for the year ending December 31, 1925.

This year, again, I am glad to report an increased circulation, a gain of 4,461 volumes, making this the largest year in the history of the library. A comparison table of the circulation for ten years follows the circulation table.

The library was open 303 days. Circulation for the year was 56,939 volumes, as against 52,478 volumes in 1924; an increase of 4,461 volumes.

Largest daily circulation, March 4, was 363 volumes. Smallest daily circulation, January 20, was 30 volumes. Average daily circulation was $187\frac{3}{4}$ volumes. Amount received for fines was \$230.42, which was paid the Town Treasurer, according to State law. Notices sent delinquents, 485; number of new cards issued, 505; visitors to reading room, 10,005.

The library contains, as per catalogue, 21,472 volumes, 317 having been added during the year; by purchase 231 volumes, by binding magazines 50 volumes, by gifts 36 volumes. The donors were State of Massachusetts, 8 volumes; Miss Mildred DeCoste, 14 volumes; the following one volume each, Appleton & Co., National American Woman's Suffrage Association, Miss Annie Daniels, T. F. Hall, B. N. Bogue, Stella A. Alexander, Acorn Press, Miss Doris Kiley, Bigelow Hartford Carpet

Company, American Legion, Universalist Sunday School, Commission for Relief in Belgium, the Shri Shivaji Literary Memorial Committee of Bombay, India, United States Government.

During the year, nearly all the books in the Department of Public Documents were discarded. Forty-seven (47) mail sacks, containing 1,874 United States Government documents, were returned to the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C. Seventy-three (73) volumes of Massachusetts State documents, covering the years up to 1890, were sent to Edward S. Redstone, State Library, State House, Boston, Mass. This decreased the K section by 1,947 volumes, leaving in the department 503 bound volumes. There are 110 unbound and unnumbered volumes of the Patent Office Gazette.

The shelves in the basement, used for these discarded books, were filled with the History Department, removed from the main stack room. This rearrangement, with the addition of a new double eight-shelf stack, gives ample room on the main floor for the next year or two.

Lincoln Memorial Library has been purchased for the reference room. As one librarian has said, this has proved "a remarkably good short cut to knowledge."

The Massachusetts Library Commission has loaned a set of books for the use of the teachers of the High School.

A valuable book on carpets and carpet making has been given by the Bigelow Hartford Carpet Company. The library has been fortunate, in past years, in securing without cost, valuable books offered for acceptance. Among them, a volume on Time Telling through the Ages, given by Ingersoll Company; New England Aviators, 1914-1918; Private and Official Correspondence of Benjamin Butler; History of Woman Suffrage; Life and Works of Susan B. Anthony; World War books; Towns of New England and Old England, Ireland and Scotland;

France and New England; the last two came from the State Street Trust Company.

The trustees completed a list of 100 books compiled by 96 educated men and women. These books, gold starred, have been placed on a shelf near the Spruce Street windows; accessible to those who wish "to make their reading count," who wish "to read with a purpose." Here are found all kinds of books, old and new, fiction and non-fiction. Near at hand are the recent books of biography, travel, poetry, science.

The trustees have hung on the walls of the main room life size portraits of two members of the board in recognition of exceptional service in library work. Nathaniel F. Blake served as librarian from April, 1874, to March, 1883; then for 36 continuous years from March, 1889, until his death in February, 1925—a record of 45 years as a librarian. For 51 consecutive years, from March, 1874, until his death, Mr. Blake served as a member of the Board of Trustees. Mr. Patrick E. Sweeney was a member of the board for 25 years, and acted as chairman several years.

The regular routine consumes all the time which is available during library hours. The preparation of just one book for circulation requires after its arrival from the publisher, checking on two lists; seven, sometimes eight, entries in the accession book; one to three labels attached; numbers in three places; at least two typewritten cards for the card catalogue; listing on bulletin board; a coat of Barco for protection. Multiply this by the number of new books plus replaced and rebound volumes, and some estimate of time consumed will be found. Little time is left for work with the children and for reference work.

During the coming year the librarian hopes to use again the State Certificate Reading Course with the fifth and sixth grades. Two years ago this course was used with excellent results. The idea is to encourage children to use the public library and to become acquainted with a

few of the best books. A State certificate is given any child who reads and reports on five books from a selected list. An honor certificate may be given to any child who has won four ordinary certificates.

Charles F. D. Belden, director of the Public Library of the City of Boston, says, "There is no limit to the benefits which a free public library, adequately supported, can render to the community which it serves through the rich stores of information, - entertainment and inspiration available in the books upon its shelves. Under wise management its public service is restricted only by the amount of its funds—the funds necessary for the purchase of books, for their housing and proper care, for the making of catalogues, indexes, and other bibliographic aids in their use, and for attracting to its staff men and women whose training and experience have equipped them for giving to the public the widest and wisest assistance in making use of library material."

CIRCULATION.

	History.	Biography.	Politics and Law.	Travel.	Science.	Fiction.	Miscella- neous.	Religion.	Poetry.	Juvenile.	Pub. Doc.	Total.
January	29	20	1	42	5	2635	234	2	45	2703		5716
Feb.,	33	28		37	7	2314	166		18	2366		4969
March,	25	29	3	33	12	2452	210	4	19	2592		5379
April,	18	26	2	30	8	2264	178	4	41	2245	2	4818
May,	15	35		28	13	2133	152	1	36	2053	4	4470
June,	9	28	2	33	10	2088	164	1	38	1902		4275
July,	13	25		36	4	2025	155	1	13	1385	1	3658
Aug.,	13	23		33	26	2121	162	3	13	1287	3	3684
Sept.,	17	38	1	27	10	1995	167	8	19	2269	4	4555
Oct.,	19	65	2	44	16	2073	240	2	29	2930	3	5423
Nov.,	18	42	1	39	15	2053	208	2	22	2755		5155
Dec.,	14	23		41	7	2105	222	10	37	2378		4837
Total,	223	382	12	423	133	26258	2258	38	330	26865	17	56939

CIRCULATION TABLE FOR EIGHT YEARS.

1918.	32,452	1919.	36,941	1920.	35,311	1921.	44,203
1922.	46,521	1923.	51,048	1924.	52,478	1925.	56,939

The reading room has received regularly the following publications (those marked * were donated).

DAILY.

Boston Post	*Christian Science Monitor
*Milford Daily News	

WEEKLY.

*American Issue	Patent Office Gazette
*Epworth Herald	*Red Cross Courier
*Labor	Saturday Evening Post
Literary Digest	*School
*Milford Gazette	*Universalist Leader
*Nation	*Zion's Herald
*National Republic	Youth's Companion
Outlook	

MONTHLY.

*American City	*Commonhealth
A. L. A. Booklist	Compton's Pictured Newspaper
*Alpha Aids	*Columbia
American Boy	Cosmopolitan
American Magazine	Country Life in America
*Antioch Notes	Delineator
Asia	Everybody's
Atlantic	Garden and Home Builder
*Bell Telephone Quarterly	Good Housekeeping
Bookman	*Granite Cutters' Journal
Boy's Life	Harper's
*Bulletin Worcester Art Museum	*Health Journal Mass, Tuberculosis League
*Bulletin Museum Fine Arts	*How to Sell
*Bulletin N. E. Conservatory of Music	International Book Review
Century	*International Blacksmiths Helpers
*Christian Science Journal	

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *International Steam Engineers *Journeyman Barber *Kiwanis Magazine Ladies' Home Journal *Living Issue *Machinists' Monthly Journal *Mass. Extension Service News McClure's *Modelmaker Munsey National National Geographic Nature *New Near East North American Review Open Road *Our Dumb Animals *Palmer's Penmanship Pointers | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Philippine Press Bulletin *Polytechnic Popular Mechanics Popular Science *Quarry Worker's Journal Reader's Guide to Periodical Literature Review of Reviews Scientific American Scribner's *Service Talks St. Nicholas *The Elks *Trained Men Travel *Tycos *Vedanta Woman's Home Companion World's Work *Worcester County Farmer |
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The following exhibits have been received from the Massachusetts Art Club:—

- Jan 6 to Jan. 26.—Picturesque Architecture of Mexico, 57 photographs.
- Feb 3 to Feb. 23 —English Inns of olden time, 46 photographs.
- Mar. 3 to Mar. 23.—Embroidery of the peasants of Smolenak, 30 photographs.
- Apr. 7 to Apr. 27.—Arts and Crafts of Great Britain, 63 photographs.
- May 5 to May 25.—Denmark 11, 52 photographs.
- June 2 to June 22.—Allies in Art, 50 photographs.
- June 30 to July 20 —Masters of Color, 52 photographs.
- July 28 to August 17.—Illustrations by Arthur Rackham, 52 photographs.

Aug. 18 to Sept. 7.—The Royal Academy illustrated, 39 photographs.

Sept. 8 to Sept 28.—Old Rhymes, 45 photographs.

Sept. 29 to October 19.—Italian Masters, 33 photographs.

Oct. 20 to Nov. 9.—Flowers of New England, 54 photographs.

Nov. 10 to Nov. 30.—Early American Artists, 56 photographs.

Dec. 1 to Dec. 21.—American Wood Engravers, 57 photographs.

Respectfully submitted,

ETHELWYN BLAKE,

Librarian.

REPORT OF CHIEF OF POLICE.

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF SELECTMEN OF MILFORD,
MASS.:

Gentlemen: I have the honor to submit a report of the duties performed by the Police Department for the year ending December 31, 1925:

Total number of arrests.....	222
Not guilty	38
Discharged	36
Guilty	139
Fined	86
Filed	29
Released without arraignment.....	31
Placed on probation	4
Sentenced to House of Correction.....	17
Suspended sentence	14
Sentenced to State Farm	8
Appealed	11
Bound over to Grand Jury.....	2
Assault and battery	25
Assault to murder.....	1
Assault with dangerous weapon.....	1
Cruelty to animals.....	2
Drunkenness	80
Destroying property	1
Automobile violations	26
Operating under influence of liquor.....	16
Search warrants	28
Selling liquor	10
Manufacturing liquor	10
Larceny	17
Vagrants	5
Stolen property recovered.....	\$4,200 00

Cases investigated	77
Aiding out of town officers.....	53
Sick and injured assisted.....	23
Present at gaming	5
Receiving stolen property	2
Non-support	4
Reckless driving	6
Breaking and entering	2
Assault on officer	1
Peddling without license	1
Disturbing the peace	1

Seven regular patrolmen are employed by the town during the day and night.

Five officers 56 hours.

One officer, 31 hours.

One officer 28 hours.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. MOLONEY,

Chief of Police.

January 2, 1926.

REPORT OF OVERSEERS OF POOR.

GENERAL AID ACCOUNT.

[FARM AND OUTSIDE].

Appropriation by town	\$26,000 00
Transferred from Mothers' aid	2,000 00
Special appropriation unpaid, 1924	437 94
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Total	\$28,437 94

EXPENDITURES.

Town Home	\$13,991 25
Town Home, 1924 unpaid bills	7 14
Outside aid	13,943 54
Outside aid, 1924 unpaid bills	430 80
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Total	\$28,372 73
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Unexpended balance	\$65 21

PAINTING TOWN HOME BUILDINGS.

Appropriation by town	\$800 00
A. W. McKinley, painting	799 70
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Unexpended balance	\$0 30

INCOME RECEIVED BY TOWN TREASURER.

[CREDIT OF FARM AND OUTSIDE].

Town Home	\$4,028 15
Treasurer of Commonwealth	2,310 57
Town of Hopedale	844 00
Town of Hopkinton	995 65
Town of Franklin	60 00
City of Gloucester	125 20
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Total	\$8,363 57

AMOUNTS DUE TOWN UNDER GENERAL AID.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts	.	\$1,488	81
City of Boston	. . .	1,820	71
City of Gloucester	. . .	98	75
Town of Hopedale	. . .	78	50
Town of Hopkinton	. . .	118	40
Town of Millville	. . .	61	00
Town of Blackstone	. . .	160	00
Town of Northbridge	. . .	310	48
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Total	\$4,136	65

INMATES AT TOWN HOME.

Total number during year	. . .	48
Number December 31, 1925	. . .	28
Average number for year	. . .	30
Weekly cost per inmate	. . .	\$6 37
Appraisal of Town Home real estate	. . .	\$20,000 00
Appraisal of Town Home personal property	. . .	\$6,482 00

GENERAL AID. OUTSIDE.

Outside Aid Expenditures, 1925	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct	Nov.	Dec.	1924 U'p'd	Total
Cash,	406 00	426 00	538 00	408 00	404 00	490 00	400 00	376 00	508 00	464 00	470 00	618 00		5508 00
Rent,	10 00	128 00	193 00	104 00	130 00	227 00	78 00	134 00	174 00	110 00	148 00	365 20	19 36	1820 56
Grocer's, Prov'ions.,	69 00	32 00	197 50	25 00	267 32	195 93	44 00	66 00	86 00	144 50	189 50	305 22		1621 97
Board,	16 00	113 00	95 00	105 00	93 00	180 00	76 00	136 00	171 00	107 00	120 00	302 43	9 43	1524 86
Milford Hospital,	10 00		277 50	18 85		7 50						185 00		498 85
Holy Ghost Hoep'l.,	44 29		44 29	42 86										131 44
Burials,	50 00				15 00									65 00
Sundries,	9 00	14 00	6 00	13 37			23 58	9 50	21 90		6 00	29 75		133 10
Nurse,		16 50	28 50		17 00	28 50		17 50	14 00	17 00	14 00	24 50		177 50
Dry Goods, Cloth-														
ing and Shoes,		11 50	5 00		4 68	5 00		24 71			6 50	10 75		68 14
Fuel,		51 25	61 25	32 50	51 00	5 00					40 00	80 00		321 00
Telephone,		5 50	7 53		2 75	2 75	2 75	2 75	4 25	4 25	4 25	9 15	2 75	48 68
Advertising,		7 40										2 40		9 80
Physician,														
Med. and Med. Sup.,			19 00	144 00	89 00	175 00	6 00		6 00	125 00	38 90	132 00		696 00
Office Supplies,			36 30			26 70			14 50			42 10		158 50
Trans. Patients to			11 37	61 00				87				2 16		75 40
Tewksbury,														
Salary, Clerk,			20 00	20 00		100 00			100 00			100 00		40 00
Mass.Dept.PubWel.,			100 00	18 92			6 00					51 00		400 00
City of Worcester,								35 50			27 00		23 17	75 92
Town of Natick,									361 86				376 09	85 67
Moving Furniture,							11 00							737 95
City of Beverly,												156 00		11 00
Ambulance to Hos'l.,												9 00		156 00
Totals,	614 29	805 15	1641 24	993 50	1073 75	1443 38	647 33	802 83	1461 51	971 85	1064 15	2424 66	430 80	14374 34

GENERAL AID, FARM, 1925.

Farm Expenditures, 1925	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	1924. U'p'd	Total
Sal. Supt & Mat'u..		125 00	250 00		125 00	125 00	125 00	125 00	250 00		125 00	250 00		1500 00
Extra labor,	90 00	135 00	135 00	113 00	153 80	288 60	276 60	185 00	215 80	213 00	211 80	175 00		2192 60
Gro. and prov..	116 64	147 12	352 03	208 68	260 60	291 26	336 84	243 13	380 22	202 59	278 89	624 88		3442 88
Med. & med. sup..	35 67			53 33		31 25	23 03		25 75	19 00	122 80	223 29		534 12
Ice,	12 00		15 00	21 00	24 00	40 50	30 00	30 00	37 50	30 00	25 50	30 00		295 50
Tobacco,	7 20	6 60	27 90	9 00	25 66	21 68		27 12	50 08	21 33		22 70		219 27
Sundries,	2 55	3 37	3 98	3 83	29 51	2 97	4 98	3 13	3 53	4 24	6 29	21 49		89 87
Insurance,	11 60						103 50	109 80		16 37				241 27
Telephone,		15 53	6 99	65	6 24	6 09	8 69		21 49	8 35	8 30	9 05	7 14	98 52
Fuel,		220 72	184 97			184 50			96 00		197 20	161 40		1044 79
Grain,		68 65	35 25	61 65	36 30	51 65	28 95	51 76	67 10	47 80	54 00	124 06		627 11
Auto sup. & rep'r,		17 40	13 30	6 45	37 35	10 36	15 19	11 04	11 70	9 90	12 40	16 80		161 89
Electrical supplies,		9 00		3 72		2 85					4 86	34 45		54 88
House fur. & sup.,		170 45	22 45	5 00	40 44	7 60		2 17	17 06	11 65		110 00		396 82
Hardware & cement,		14 25	6 70	15 20	53 21	13 08	34 92	17 39	31 87	6 80	13 10	54 11		260 63
Blacksmith work,		3 75	7 80	4 25	6 25	3 00		24 25	14 25		6 45	11 50		81 50
Flour,		30 00		45 50	2 80	41 00		23 30	30 75	43 30	9 75	33 00		258 40
Light and power,		2 00	24 40		47 90	13 10	10 10	9 50	11 60	15 30	17 30	48 40		199 60
Harness repairs,								46 30				17 85		64 15
Newspapers,	15 44				1 25							26 84		43 53
Fer., seeds, plants,	4 50		5 75	3 00	34 15	22 80				3 45				73 65
Dry goods, cloth														
ing and shoes,														
Milford hospital,	112 11		89 06	42 82	21 20	124 35	39 42	46 29	46 35	87 37	53 71	166 59		829 27
Physician,			32 50			222 50								255 00
New plumb., rep.			3 00			6 00	3 00					12 00		24 00
bldgs. & heaters,						15 00	53 00			234 80		155 70		954 16
				368 96	126 70	15 00								

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INCOME TOWN HOME.

Income Town Home, 1925.	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total.
Milford Residents,	24 00	24 00	58 00	24 00	52 00	34 00	37 00	24 00	30 00	24 00	18 00	33 00	382 00
Town of Hopkinton,	34 50		66 50	63 75		122 00		142 00	65 50		125 50	68 75	688 10
Town of Millville,	39 00		31 00	32 85	31 00	31 00	37 25	43 00	34 50	31 00	34 50	34 50	379 60
Town of Blackstone,	502 00	165 25	166 05	169 00				485 10			640 50	155 75	2283 65
Eggs.	10 70	16 90	27 40	9 70	4 40				8 40	2 50	3 40	26 00	109 40
Livestock,		4 00	4 00							5 00			13 00
Hay,				30 00	6 00				95 00				131 00
Blinds,				10 00									10 00
Poultry,									29 00			2 00	31 00
Total,	610 20	210 15	352 95	339 30	93 40	187 00	74 25	694 10	262 40	62 50	821 90	320 00	4028 15

MOTHERS' AID.

Appropriation by town	\$20,000 00
Appropriation, 1924 unpaid bills	85 00
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Total	\$20,085 00

EXPENDITURES.

Mothers with dependent children	\$16,302 90
Transferred to General Aid	2,000 00
Unpaid bills 1924	85 00
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Total	\$18,387 90
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Unexpended balance	\$1,697 10

INCOME RECEIVED BY TOWN TREASURER TO THE
CREDIT OF MOTHERS' AID.

Treasurer of Commonwealth	\$5,622 42
City of Brockton	173 33
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Total	\$5,795 75

AMOUNTS DUE TOWN UNDER MOTHERS' AID.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts	\$5,150 00
City of Brockton	33 33
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Total	\$5,183 33

MOTHERS' AID.

Mothers' Aid Expend'r's. 1925.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	1924 Un'p'd	Total
Cash,	958 00	940 00	1056 00	876 00	871 00	1070 00	856 00	856 00	1130 00	930 00	938 00	1190 00		11674 00
Rent,	88 00	214 00	271 00	253 00	138 00	377 00	101 00	277 00	399 00	116 00	241 00	557 00	85 00	3117 00
Fram. Hospital,	26 00													26 00
Fuel,		134 25	120 50	110 25	62 00	6 00	8 00			13 00	149 75	245 50		849 25
Dry goods, cloth ing and shoes,		24 90				30 00	16 98	39 00	3 95	5 00	35 00	34 35		189 18
Milford Hospital.			30 00				8 50		27 50					66 00
Mass. Hos. School,			77 14			78 85			72 86			97 71		326 56
Med. & med. sup ,			24 55	5 00		13 60			6 00			38 10		87 25
Town of Upton,					47 66				5 00					47 66
Physician,												2000 00		5 00
Trans.to Gen Aid.														2000 00
Total,	1072 00	1313 15	1579 19	1244 25	1118 66	1575 45	990 48	1172 00	1644 31	1067 00	1363 75	4162 66	85 00	18387 90

RECAPITULATION.

Appropriation by town, General Aid	. \$26,000 00
Appropriation by town, 1924 unpaid bills	. 437 94
Painting Town Home buildings	. 800 00
Appropriation, Mothers' aid	. 20,000 00
Appropriation, Mothers' aid, 1924 unpaid bills	. 85 00
Total	. \$47,322 94

EXPENDITURES.

At Town Home	. \$13,991 25
At Town Home, 1924 unpaid bills	. 7 14
Painting Town Home buildings	. 799 70
Outside aid	. 13,943 54
Outside aid, 1924 unpaid bills	. 430 80
Mothers' aid	. 16,302 90
Mothers' aid, 1924 unpaid bills	. 85 00
Total	. \$45,560 33
Unexpended balance, Dec. 31, 1925	. \$1,762 61

The overseers, during the past year, have made many improvements to the Town Home, including painting the exterior, and a general overhauling of the plumbing and heating plants.

The farm in 1925 had more inmates throughout the year than for some time past. The lowest the enrolment was at any time last year was 27, while in 1924 at times there were only 14 inmates. This, coupled with the steadily advancing average age of the inmates, requiring more and more medicine and hospital attention in each succeeding year, is bound to increase the cost of operating the home.

Some of the voters have the mistaken idea that the overseers still have the income of their department to expend, in addition to the money appropriated by the town. This is not

so. We are not allowed to spend any of our income, this be-
turned in to the town treasurer.

We would earnestly recommend to the voters that money appropriated for the poor department henceforth be in one lump sum, instead of being divided between the Mothers' Aid and General Aid departments. This would enable our board to use the money where needed, near the close of the year, and avoid the expense of a special town meeting, such as was held last December, to transfer money. Of course, we would continue to keep two sets of books—one for Mothers' Aid account and one for General Aid—as at present, so that voters could ascertain at a glance just what each department is costing the town. The new method would allow the use of the funds, as needed, in either department, with the same system of bookkeeping as at present.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL B. SWEENEY, Chairman,
FRED M. CROWELL,
FRED J. COLEMAN,

Overseers of Poor.

MILFORD FIRE DEPARTMENT.

RECEIPTS.

By appropriations :

Pay of members	\$11,520 00
Incidentals	3,300 00
Repairs	600 00
Brush fires	200 00
New Hose	1,000 00
New alarm boxes	400 00
Increase in pay	1,400 00
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	\$18,420 00

EXPENDITURES.

Pay of members :

Nelson Goddard, driver	\$1,406 53
Wm. Ahern, driver	1,699 91
Frank Mitchell, driver	1,400 06
Henry Healey, engineer	25 00
H. Pyne, sub-driver	275 00
Joseph Higgins, sub-driver	129 16
Joseph Fahey, sub-driver	100 00
T. F. Mahar, engineer Supt. of Fire Alarm	267 50
L. B. Brown, engineer and clerk	112 50
N. H. Murray, treas. of Engine Co. No. 1 .	1,255 00
J. H. O'Brien, treas. of Hose Co. No. 2 .	1,255 00
M. B. Ahern, treas. of Hose Co. No. 3 .	1,255 00
P. E. Jeffrey, treas. of Hose Co. No. 1 .	1,255 00
Ed. F. Coye, treas. of H. & L. Co.	1,625 00
Charles Humes, driver	173 92
Charles Kimball, spare driver	60 33
E. O. Rose, engineer	112 50
J. H. Egan, chief superintendent	287 50

Pio Guglielmi, engineer, clerk	.	.			\$125 00
Joseph Higgins	100 08
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					\$12,920 00
By appropriation	\$11,520 00
Increase in pay	1,400 00
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Total	\$12,920 00

INCIDENTALS.

Milford Water Co.	\$ 50 56
Motor Equipment Co.	53 50
H. Meline	.	.	.	.	6 30
J. Fahey	.	.	.	.	177 43
A. S. Antolini	.	.	.	.	21 85
Clark Ellis & Sons	.	.	.	.	46 67
American Equipment Co.	.	.	.	.	37 99
New England Tel. Co.	.	.	.	.	108 40
Milford Gas Co.	.	.	.	.	56 67
Milford Electric Co.	.	.	.	.	224 00
H. S. Chadbourne	.	.	.	.	50 93
Rouleau Brothers	.	.	.	.	364 53
Curran's Express	.	.	.	.	7 00
Davoren's Express	.	.	.	.	3 88
C. E. Cooney	.	.	.	.	16 55
Casey Auto Co.	.	.	.	.	8 38
Curtiss Coal Co.	.	.	.	.	329 30
Sherman Laundry	.	.	.	.	27 21
New England Fire Apparatus Co.	.	.	.	.	50 43
J. P. Connolly Co.	.	.	.	.	3 15
Robinson Auto Motor Co.	.	.	.	.	20 76
Jacbern Hardware Co.	.	.	.	.	40 99
Charlescraft Press	.	.	.	.	17 25
H. D. Bullard	.	.	.	.	93 52
Beacon Supply Co.	.	.	.	.	57 92
M. B. Ahearn	.	.	.	.	24 21
Kellett & Clement	.	.	.	.	5 50
Harry Webster	.	.	.	.	5 98

F. S. Slavin & Son	\$ 6 68
W. P. Clarke	3 75
Shaughnessey Bros. . . .	78 75
F. H. Marshall	30 11
Lincoln Square Garage	6 65
W. P. Jones	78 56
G. L. Dalrymple	2 40
J. T. Crowell	14 00
George Locke	40
C. H. Kimball	3 00
Oakes & Dow Co. . . .	4 57
Maxim Motor Co. . . .	1 02
M. S. McMahon	7 25
J. H. Egan	14 21
Gamewell Co. . . .	4 15
J. F. Damon	8 15
Buik's Pharmacy	10 30
L. P. Pratt	18 15
F. A. Gould	2 22
Glatky Furniture Co. . . .	29 15
J. H. Gardella	4 25
Joseph Brown	2 00
E. O'Brien	5 00
Barney Coal Co. . . .	26 00
Madison Filling Station	10 60
E. Auld	11 00
Archer Rubber Co. . . .	57 50
Niro and Niro	1 97
Fire & Water Paper Co. . . .	4 00
Amer. La France	4 24
Eastern Drug Co. . . .	21 40
L. E. Belknap	1 25
T. F. Maher	112 75
Gamewell Co. . . .	15 59
E. E. Pantana	6 00
Frank Ward	1 00

Fred Ruhan	\$ 5 00
Reynolds Music Co.	2 00
F. L. Hancock	1 65
Morey Bros.	25 75
N. Goddard	3 68
Higgins Bros.	23 25
T. E. Morse	5 82
H. L. Schultz	5 85
Diamond Stamp Co.	3 75
F. H. Marshall	102 84
Pio Guglielmi	13 05
United States Gutta Paint Co.	14 10
Arthur Blanchard	70 00
T. E. Morse	9 90
W. E. Cook	41 00
Archer Rubber Co.	60 00
New England Fire Appar. Co.	86 00
Weiber & Rose	60 20
J. F. Damon	69 90
Milford Tire Co.	21 50
Go Gas Co.	5 50
Lincoln Square Garage	2 75
American LaFrance Co.	8 15
B. A. R. R. Co.	1 74
S. J. Burke	36 00
G. M. Billings	3 50
Com. of Public Safety	2 00
American La France	1 11
Joseph Brown	8 84
Fred Casey	18 00
George Sullivan	5 00
Woonsocket Rem. Co.	8 87
Gamewell Co.	1 41
F. H. Gould	9 03
Charles H. Kimball	40 00

\$3,296 02

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Appropriation	\$3,000 00
Reserve fund	300 00
Total receipts	\$3,300 00
Expended	3,296 02
Balance	\$3 98

REPAIRS.

F. H. Marshall	\$165 77
J. F. Damon	234 75
Gamewell Fire Co.	199 48
Total	\$600 00
By appropriation	\$600 00
Expended	\$600 00

BRUSH FIRES.

L. B. Brown	\$ 9 35
G. Bragdon	12 00
M. Ahern	27 00
F. Murphy	4 50
P. Jeffrey	12 50
N. Murray	9 50
C. Tompkins	1 50
T. F. Maher	10 25
E. Coye	7 50
G. Bragdon	12 00
M. Ahern	5 50
L. Brown	9 00
P. Jeffrey	16 00
G. Bragdon	13 00
P. Shea	3 00
G. Bragdon	50
E. Rose	2 25
H. Murray	1 60
E. Rose	3 00

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M. Ahern	\$ 5 50
Am. Fire Equipment Co.	31 15
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	\$196 10
By appropriation	\$200 00
Expended	196 10
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Balance	\$3 90

NEW ALARM BOXES.

Gamewell Co , Box 62	\$120 00
Pettingill Andrews	71 68
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	\$191 68
By appropriation	\$200 00
Expended	191 68
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Balance	\$8 32
Gamewell Co., Box 18	\$121 80
W. P. Jones	21 72
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	\$143 52
By appropriation	\$200 00
Expended	142 52
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Balance	\$56 48

NEW HOSE.

H. K. Barnes	\$495 00
Boston Woven Hose	500 00
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	\$995 00
By appropriation	\$1,000 00
Expended	995 00
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Balance	\$5 00

RECEIPTS.

Town of Bellingham, use of apparatus .	\$57 00
Lawrence Fusco, sale of second hand wagon body	20 00
Milford Electric Light & Power Co. . .	1 05
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	\$78 05

ROSTER OF FIRE DEPARTMENT.

John H. Egan, Chief,
Ernest O. Rose, Deputy Chief,
Pio Guglielmi, Clerk and Assistant Deputy.

ENGINE No. 1.

Captain, William Young; lieutenant, C. H. Negus; N. H. Murray, F. Holland, E. Rose, A. Kempton, C. D. Ray, M. F. O'Brien, D. Connors, P. Carroll. Driver, William Ahern.

LADDER No 1.

Captain, Edward McDermott; lieutenant, H. Schultz; D. P. Flynn, E. F. Coye, F. Luby, E. O'Brien, J. Ruhan, M. Burke, M. Casey, B. Manion, William Carini, J. Casey, R. Collins. Driver, N. Goddard.

HOSE No. 1.

Captain, Ed. Duggan; lieutenant, J. Edwards; P. E. Jeffrey, C. Cheney, F. Ruhan, J. F. Cahill, H. Cronan, J. Hayes, J. Sullivan, C. Dewing. Driver, H. Pyne.

HOSE No 2.

Captain, J. Adams; lieutenant, P. Adams: G. Bragdon, G. Rae, J. Curley, H. Elliott, F. Sherman, J. Casey, H. O'Brien, F. Higgins. Driver, C. Humes.

HOSE No. 3.

Captain, C. Joslin; lieutenant, J. Walpole, M. Ahern, G. Sullivan, R. Juliar, S. Chapman, L. SanClemente, F. Legue, A. Sonne, E. Johnson. Driver, F. Mitchell.

VOLUNTEER Co, HOSE No. 4.

Captain, Gordon Griffith.

LOCATION OF FIRE ALARM BOXES.

- 14 Central street, opposite Baker Slip.
- 15 Central street, opposite Milford Shoe Co. factory.
- 16 Depot street, near Barney's coal yard.
- 17 Corner Spring and North Bow streets.
- 18 Corner Central and East streets.
- 21 Main street, near Milford Home Bank.
- 22 Corner Sumner and Mechanic streets, Hopedale Mfg. Co.
- 23 Car barn, East Main street. Private.
- 24 Main street, opposite Town House.
- 25 Corner Main and Pine streets.
- 26 Main street, opposite Basin.
- 27 East Main street, opposite Cedar street.
- 28 Corner East Main and Medway streets.
- 29 Hayward street, near Parkhurst street.
- 32 Water street, near Draper Co. property.
- 34 West street, opposite Lee street.
- 35 Corner West and Cherry streets.
- 41 Corner Sumner and Granite streets.
- 42 At Milford Iron Foundry.
- 43 Corner school and Walnut streets.
- 45 Purchase street, opposite G. W. Ellis' residence.
- 46 Purchase street, corner Fountain street.
- 47 Purchase street, opposite Eben street.
- 52 Main street, corner of Water street.
- 53 Main street, corner of Fruit street.
- 54 Main street, near Hospital.
- 62 Corner Claflin and Franklin streets.
- 63 Grove street, corner Forest street.
- 65 South Main street, opposite Cadman farm.
- 73 Corner Spruce and Congress streets.
- 75 Upper Congress street.
- 142 Private box, Archer Rubber Co. factory.

Two blasts—All out.

Three blasts—Chief's call.

Four blasts—House call.

Five blasts—Fire out of town.

Six blasts—Military call.

EMERGENCY CALLS.

South Main street station. Tel. 65-2.

Main street station. Tel. 822W.

TELEPHONE BOXES.

- 271 Beyond residence of Lyndhuast McGregor, Cedar street.
- 281 Dodds Quarry, East Main street.
- 282 East Main street, beyond Dodds.
- 283 Birch street, on Medway road and Bear Hill.
- 341 Clancy farm, West street, beyond.
- 751 Upper Congress street, beyond Card's farm.

SCHEDULE OF PROPERTY.

Two brick buildings, necessary equipment; one frame building, necessary equipment; one Amoskeag fire engine; one Cole fire engine; one American La France Combination pumping engine; one Packard combination truck, all equipped; one Packard hose wagon, all equipped; one Buick hose truck, one Maxim ladder truck, with necessary equipment; one Locomotive hose truck, all equipped; one single-hitch hose wagon; three sets single harness; 2850 feet good hose; 1600 feet inferior hose; one pulmotor; grappling hooks and all such equipment; one 4 way Morse gun; 15 spot lights; 14 reservoirs and four hydrants.

FIRE ALARM AND TELEGRAPH.

One 4-circuit storage battery switchboard, complete with battery cells, etc., 24 miles of wire, 5 mechanical gongs, 4 direct-action tappers, 2 clocks, 1 combination indicator and gong, 2 indicators, 1 tape register, 1 repeater, 1 bell striker, 1 whistle machine with steam whistle, 1 compressed air machine and whistle complete, 31 street boxes, 2 hand-break key stations.

From January 1, 1925, to January 1, 1926 there were 189 alarms, 26 box alarms, and 163 telephone calls.

Value of buildings where actual fire occurred	\$148,000 00
Insurance on buildings where actual fire occurred	\$110,500 00
Loss on buildings	\$39,963 00
Insurance paid	\$38,060 00

Value of contents where actual fire occurred	. \$120,000 00
Insurance on contents where actual fire occurred	\$113,000 00
Loss on contents	\$39,750 00
Insurance paid	\$33,000 00

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN E EGAN,
ERNEST O. ROSE,
PIO GUGLIELMI,

Board of Fire Engineers.

Report of the Sewerage Commission.

December 31, 1925.

TO THE CITIZENS OF MILFORD :—

GENTLEMEN :—

The Sewerage Commission herewith presents its annual report for the year ending December 31, 1925.

The following statement shows the income and expenditures of the department :—

CONSTRUCTION ACCOUNT.

INCOME.

Balance December 31, 1924	\$0,000 81
Appropriation March 2, 1925, (street sewers)	5,000 00
Appropriation March 2, 1925, (filter sys- tem)	3,500 00
Appropriation March 2, 1925, (unpaid bills)	731 19
Assessments	1,117 29
Dominick Street, (unexpended appropri- ation)	500 00
Hayward Street, (unexpended appropri- ation)	12 38
	<hr/> \$10,861 67

EXPENDITURES.

Street Sewers: —

Dominick, Quinlan and North Streets:

Arthur DePasquale, (contract)	\$3,033 30
Milford Iron Foundry (material for above streets)	137 50
Milford Grain Company (material for above streets)	224 12

Westbrook Street:

Arthur P. Clarridge, (labor and material)	303 35
Barbour & Dixon, Engineers (street sewers)	353 88
Barbour & Dixon, Engineers, (unpaid bill 1924)	140 61
Additional Disposal Plant:—	
Labor	\$1,271 50
New apparatus	1,808 02
Miscellaneous	91 20
Material	504 84
	<hr/> \$3,675 56
Teaming (unpaid bill 1924)	\$150 00
Labor (unpaid bill 1924)	220 76
Material (unpaid bills 1924)	168 40
Miscellaneous (unpaid bills 1924)	49 10
	<hr/> 588 26
	<hr/> \$8,465 08
Total income	\$10,861 67
Total expenditures	\$8,465 08
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Unexpended balance December 31, 1925	\$2,396 59

MAINTENANCE ACCOUNT.

INCOME.

Balance December 31, 1924	\$ 248 36
Appropriation March 2, 1925	7,600 00
Town of Hopedale	165 00
Milford Electric Light & Power Co., (rebate)	7 31
Appropriation March 2, 1925 (unpaid bills)	378 18
	<hr/> \$8,398 85

EXPENDITURES.

Pumping Station:—

Labor	\$287 00
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Power	\$452 67	
New apparatus	228 76	
	<hr/>	\$968 43
Superintendence and clerical		1186 08
Superintendence and clerical (unpaid bills 1924)		100 00
Office supplies		3 75
Flushing sewers		114 40
Flushing sewers, (unpaid bills 1924)		5 00
Miscellaneous :—		
Land rental		5 00
Materials		322 68
Materials, (unpaid bills 1924)		178 68
Disposal Plant :—		
Labor		4,120 00
Teaming		689 00
Teaming, (unpaid bills 1924)		94 50
	<hr/>	\$7,787 52
Unexpended balance December 31, 1925		\$611 33

The maintenance account for the year was \$214.44 less than the amount expended during 1924, and taking into consideration the fact that both the new and old disposal plant was operated during the entire year your Commission feels that it is now in a position to satisfactorily dispose of the sewage for the Town without any substantial increase in maintenance costs.

We recommend for the coming year the following appropriations: For sewer maintenance the sum of \$7,500.00 and for General Sewer Construction the amount to be advised by the Finance Committee as we understand they intend to recommend a certain amount each year, and that all present unexpended balances in the construction account be transferred to the account of General Construction.

For a summary of the work done during the year in the construction of street sewers and in the completing of the

disposal plant we refer you to the report of the Engineers hereto appended.

The total house connections during the year was 35 making a grand total to date of 1483.

FRANK P. DILLON,
LOUIS P. PRATT,
ALFRED F. MARTIN,
Sewerage Commission.

Report of Engineers to Sewerage Commission

Boston, Mass., January 15, 1926.

Dear Sirs :—

Our report of the work done under direction of your Commission during the year 1925 is as follows :—

Street sewers were constructed by contract in Dominick, North and Quinlan Streets, an extension of the Westbrook Street sewer was made late in the season to relieve an especially unsanitary condition, this work being done at a cost basis by day labor. The year 1925 sewer construction has added 1290 feet to the length of sewer constructed.

The new Imhoff Trickler Plant for the disposal of sewage has completed its first full year of continuous operation with satisfactory results; construction work in connection with this plant is now completed with the single exception of setting a check valve in the secondary tank suction piping—this valve of special construction arrived too late to be set during the past year.

Your Commission is now in a position to meet the present demand for full treatment of the sewage wastes from the Town.

Very truly yours,

BARBOUR AND DIXON.

REPORT OF PARK DEPARTMENT, 1925.

GENERAL FUND.

Appropriated \$1,800 00

EXPENDED.

Labor, on main Town Park and care of ball field	\$584 35
Labor, care of General Draper and Bancroft Ave. Parks	403 25
Police duty and cleaning main Town Park	264 00
Cinders and trap rock, including freight and trucking	201 16
Supplies and repairs	131 93
Gasoline, storage and repairs power motor	58 24
Flowers	40 00
Trucking	28 00
Warrant pay book	23 30
Milford Water Co.	18 00
Extra, on new tennis court	18 00
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	\$1,770 23
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Balance unexpended	\$29 77

PLAYGROUNDS.

Appropriated \$650 00

EXPENDED.

Repair of apparatus and cost of instruction and oversight	650 00
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Balance	\$000 00

As usual in this department the appropriation is totally inadequate, and about \$275.00 was obtained through a tag day,

and also from the large societies of the town, to whom we are greatly indebted.

SKATING RINK AND EXTRA TENNIS COURT.

Balance carried from 1924	.	.	.	\$559 50
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EXPENDED.

Paid L. Luchini & Son	.	.	.	559 50
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Balance	\$000 00
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MARTIN J. WALLACE, Chairman,
FRED W. FITZSIMMONS,
FRANK E. NORCROSS,

Park Department.

ANNUAL REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF VERNON GROVE CEMETERY.

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand Jan 1, 1925	\$ 43 07
Town appropriation	250 00
Interest on trust funds	729 28
Sale of lots	150 00
Care of lots	540 00
Graves	592 00
	\$2,314 35

EXPENDITURES.

Labor as per vouchers	\$2,034 50
Pine Grove cemetery	15 75
North Purchase cemetery	18 00
J. A. Tyler, supplies	22 50
F. A. Gould, supplies	32 72
S. Boone, supplies	40 00
Milford Iron Foundry	18 75
H. Millar, supplies	25 48
H. W. Gaskill	30 00
N. L. Huff, supplies	9 00
Eldredge & Son	12 45
G. M. Billings	15 00
H. S. Eldredge, supplies	21 00
Incidentals as per vouchers	18 31
Cash on hand	89
	\$2,314 35

Number of interments, 61.

Trustees' terms of office expire as follows:—

Herbert S. Eldredge 1926	Arthur L. Maynard 1926
Harry E. Hunt 1927	Frank E. Cheney 1927
William Emery 1928	William S. Marden 1928

WILLIAM S. MARDEN, Chairman.

HERBERT S. ELDREDGE, Secretary.

REPORT OF THE Sealer of Weights and Measures.

Milford, January 1, 1926.

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF SELECTMEN:—

GENTLEMEN:—I hereby submit my report as Sealer of Weights and Measures for the year ending December 31, 1925. All places of business in the town of Milford were visited by me after notifying by public notice as the law requires, that all scales, measures, etc., would be sealed without fee, if brought to my office.

SCALES, MEASURES, ETC, SEALED.

	Adjusted Sealed Condemned		
Platform scales, over 5000 pounds	4	7	2
Platform scales, under 5000 pounds	36	97	9
Counter scales . . .	10	75	4
Beam scales . . .	3	33	2
Spring scales . . .	10	64	8
Computing scales . . .	11	52	6
Slot personal weighing scales .	4	8	4
Prescription scales . . .	4	9	1
Weights . . .	6	824	24
Wet measures . . .		248	23
Dry measures . . .		10	4
Automatic gas and oil pumps .	23	50	3
Yard sticks . . .		75	10
Office calls for sealing . . .			270
Outside calls for sealing . . .			300
Paid for stamps, etc. . . .			\$4 90
Sealing fees			\$141 30
Paid to Town Treasurer George A. Barry .			\$137 80

Thanking the Honorable Board of Selectmen, and the public, for the assistance given me during my term of Sealer of Weights and Measures, I am,

Respectfully,

DANIEL M. O'BRIEN,
Sealer of Weights and Measures.

Report of Inspector of Wires.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I would submit the following report of the Wire Inspection Department for the year 1925, the eleventh year of the inspection service.

The inspections of interior wiring for the year were as follows:

Certificates issued for
249 meters in 194 finished buildings
69 meters in 57 new buildings
23 new buildings rough wired and not completed
30 special inspections

The increase in building activity has amounted to nearly 50 per cent over last year.

A new "National Electrical Code" has been issued the past fall and is now in force, though the changes are not radical.

The rapid increase in the use of appliances in the home has opened many problems, particularly overloading and overfusing of circuits. Both owners and tenants are urged to consult competent electricians, or the inspector, rather than cause trouble with your lighting system, or even fire, by ill advised action.

Electrically driven oil burners for heating and gasoline filling stations are two other lines of installations that require much attention from the inspector.

The business of the Milford Electric Light & Power Co. and the New England Telephone & Telegraph Co. shows a steady growth and has called for considerable increase in capacity during the year to provide for the demands.

The Electric Light Company has installed several

condenser equipments at points of the system where the power demand is heavy, that aid in better efficiency and more satisfactory service.

The poles of all companies have received many renewals and are at present in very good condition. The policy of joint use of poles is being extended, to the great improvement of the appearance of streets.

Respectfully submitted,

FRED. M. DANIELS,
Inspector of Wires.

Report of Town Solicitor.

TO THE VOTERS OF THE TOWN OF MILFORD:

During the past year this department has been busier in matters of interest to the Town than in any equal period which I can recall. A great deal of time was consumed in the so-called civil service litigation which was finally determined by an opinion of the Supreme Judicial Court of Massachusetts. This litigation involved two petitions for writs of mandamus, and in connection therewith a number of hearings were held before an auditor for the purpose of establishing the facts. The matter is now disposed of and the Police Department and the chief of police are decreed to be under the civil service law.

I have appeared in behalf of the Police Department in the prosecution of the following cases: 17 violations of the liquor laws; 7 automobile cases; 1 robbery; 1 breaking and entering; 1 larceny; 1 receiving stolen goods; and 1 collecting junk without a license.

The action of Florence Adams for injuries caused by a defective sidewalk, which has been pending for some time, has been settled.

The Town was trustee on several occasions on account of funds in its hands due under the contract for the construction of the Central Street drain but all of these have been disposed of.

I appeared for the Town in connection with the telephone rate hearings.

The requests for opinions and advice in the various departments have been numerous, in fact the whole period has been one of general activity and naturally the expense of the department has been increased by the demands made for extra service.

I thank all boards and officials for the patience and consideration which has been shown this department.

Respectfully submitted,

CHESTER F. WILLIAMS,
Town Solicitor.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS.

THE HONORABLE BOARD OF SELECTMEN:—

Gentlemen—I beg to report that as a result of periodic and annual inspection of animals in this town, I find that there is a marked improvement in the general health and housing condition. Cattle are more carefully chosen, in replacing, and owners are more careful to secure only tested animals, both state and Federal certified. While this locality is slow to accept the Federal test, I feel that milk producers are considering the matter seriously.

Contagious condition in swine has diminished greatly, due to inoculation and better sanitary conditions.

This town escaped the infectious disease of poultry that did so much damage to stock in New England, due to the timely quarantine put on by state authorities, and inspection. There was no rabies outbreak, and at the present no cases are in this vicinity.

DR. B. F. HARTMAN,

Inspector of Animals.

AUDITOR'S REPORT.

TO THE CITIZENS OF MILFORD:—

I have examined the vouchers drawn by the different departments of our town government, and the bills incurred by each department and find them correct and in accordance with their appropriations.

My thanks are extended to all the town officials with whom I came in contact for their consideration and co-operation.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH V. CAREY,

Auditor.



MILFORD HIGH SCHOOL, CLASS OF 1925.

ANNUAL
SCHOOL REPORT

Milford, Mass.

School Year 1924-1925.

Fiscal Year 1925.

School Calendar.

(Subject to Committee Action.)

Term.	School.	Begins.	Length of Term.	Closes.	Length of Vacation.
Winter, 1926.	All.	Jan. 4, 1926.	8 weeks.	Feb. 26, 1926.	1 week.
Spring, 1926.	All.	March 8, 1926.	8 weeks.	April 30, 1926.	1 week.
Summer, 1926.	High.	May 10, 1926	8 weeks.	July 1, 1926.	9 weeks.
	Grades.	May 10, 1926.	7 weeks.	June 25, 1926.	10 weeks.
Fall, 1926.	All.	Sept. 7, 1926.	15 weeks.	Dec. 17, 1926.	1 week.

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Holidays: —

Lincoln's Birthday, February 12, 1926, exercises in the schools; Washington's Birthday, February 22, exercises in the schools, Friday, February 19; Good Friday, April 2; Patriots' Day, April 19, exercises in the schools, Friday, April 16; Memorial Day, May 30, exercises in the schools, Friday, May 28; Labor Day, Sept. 6, last day of the summer vacation; Columbus Day, October 12, exercises in the schools; Friday, October 8; Thanksgiving Day and the Day following; November 25 and 26, exercises in the schools, Wednesday, November 24.

School Committee.

PERSONNEL AND ORGANIZATION.

Name.	Member of Committee on	Office.	Tel.	Residence.	Tel.	Term Expires.
John V. Gallagher, M. D.	Care of Buildings. Books and Supplies.	64 Main St.	127-W.	9 State St.	127-Y.	1926.
Herbert W. Shaw, D. D. S.	Rules and Regulations. Teachers and Salaries.	211 Main St.	43-M.	78 Purchase St.	88.	1926.
John C. Lynch, Esq.	Rules and Regulations. Books and Supplies.	Green Block.	97-M.	305 Main St.	207.	1927.
John E. Swift, Esq.	Finance. Teachers and Salaries.	Collins Block.	311.	Parker Hill Ave.	498-M.	1927.
George E. Stacy, (Ch.)	Care of Buildings.			76 School St.	976-M.	1928.
Alfred B. Cenedella, Esq.	Finance. Teachers and Salaries.	Green Block.	1070.	45 Bancroft Ave.	782-W,	1928.

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SUB-COMMITTEES.

Rules and Regulations, Finance,	.	.	.	Mr. Lynch, Dr. Shaw.
Care of Buildings,	.	.	.	Mr. Swift, Mr. Cenedella.
Books and Supplies,	.	.	.	Mr. Stacy, Dr. Gallagher.
Teachers and Salaries,	.	.	.	Dr. Gallagher, Mr. Lynch.
	.	.	.	Mr. Swift, Mr. Cenedella, Dr. Shaw.

SUPERINTENDENT, SECRETARY,
DIRECTOR OF CONTINUATION SCHOOL.

ALMORIN O. CASWELL.

The superintendent is a member of each sub-committee, ex-officio.

Superintendent's office—Room 8, High School. Telephone 505. Office hours, 8 to 9 a. m. and 4 to 5.30 p. m., Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays. Thursday evening, 7.30 to 8.30.

Residence, 89 Congress St. Telephone 646.

CLERK.

Miss Margaret C. Dillon. Residence, Highland St. Telephone 537-W.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS.

The regular meetings of the committee are held on the first Friday of each month in the committee room at Room 8, High School.

SCHOOL PHYSICIANS.

John M. French, M. D.

Office and residence, 2 South Main street. Tel. 38.

John V. Gallagher, M. D.

Office, 64 Main street. Telephone 127-W.

Residence, 9 State street. Telephone 127-Y.

SCHOOL NURSE.

Mrs. Mary E. Naughton, R. N.

Office, Room 8, High School. Telephone 505.

Residence, 31 Forest street, Milford, Mass.

DENTAL CLINIC.

(Operated by the Board of Health.)

Office, Room 11, 224 Main street.

CLINICIANS.

William J. Clancy, D. M. D.

Residence, 145 West street. Telephone 415-W.

Francis X. Kelley, D. D. S.

Residence, 18 Cherry street. Telephone 78-R.

ATTENDANCE OFFICERS.

Raphael Marino.

Office, 144 Main street. Residence, 17 Court street.

Telephone 804-M.

Almorin O. Caswell.

Office, Room 8, High School. Telephone 505.

Residence, 89 Congress street. Telephone 646.

TUITION RATES.

High School, \$2.25 per week, Grades, \$1.45 per week, payable four weeks in advance.

SCHOOL SESSIONS.

High School—

Morning session, 8.00 a. m. to 12.40 p. m.

Afternoon session, 12.45 p. m. to 5.00 p. m.

George E. Stacy School—

8.45 a. m. to 11.45 a. m., and 1.20 p. m. to 3.50 p. m.

Grades V. in Stacy School—

8.45 a. m. to 11.45 a. m. and 1.20 p. m. to 3.20 p. m.

Grade IV.-V. in Stacy Portable—

12.45 p. m. to 4.45 p. m.

Town Grade Schools—

8.45 a. m. to 11.45 a. m. and 1.30 p. m. to 3.30 p. m.

Spruce Street, Grade I. (Double Platoon)—

Morning session, 8.30 a. m. to 11.45 a. m.

Afternoon session, 12.45 p. m. to 4.00 p. m.

Oliver Street School, Grade IV. (Double Platoon)—

Morning session, 8.30 a. m. to 12.30 p. m.

Afternoon session, 12.30 p. m. to 4.30 p. m.

Fountain Street School—

Grades I. and II., 8.30 a. m. to 11.45 a. m.

Grades III. and IV., 12.30 p. m. to 4.30 p. m.

Country Schools—

9.00 a. m. to 12.00 m., 1.00 p. m. to 3.00 p. m.

Evening Schools—

7.15 p. m. to 9.15 p. m.

Continuation Schools—

1.15 p. m. to 5.15 p. m.

NO-SCHOOL SIGNAL.

3 repeated four times on the fire alarm.

At 7.15 a. m.—No morning session for all schools, including the High School.

At 7.45 a. m.—No morning session below the High and Stacy Schools.

At 8.00 a. m.—No morning session for grades below the fifth.

At 11.45 a. m.—No session for the afternoon platoon at the High School.

At 12.30 p. m.—No afternoon session for all grades.

Between 12.45 and 1.00 p. m.—No session for grades below the fifth.

At 6.30 p. m.—No sessions for the evening school.

When the no-school signal is sounded in the morning and not repeated in the afternoon, there will be an afternoon session.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE.

The following report of the Superintendent of Schools has been adopted by the School Committee as its report to the town. A considerable portion of the text is devoted to bringing to the attention of the citizens the desperately overcrowded condition of the schools, particularly the high school, and we commend this demonstration to the thoughtful consideration of the tax-payers.

The following budget sets forth in detail the financial needs of the department for 1926 :—

BUDGET FOR 1926.

Salaries of Teachers	.	.	\$132,765 00
Fuel	.	.	8,300 00
Supplies	.	.	9,000 00
Care	.	.	8,800 00
Supervision :—			
Supt. of Schools		\$3,600 00	
Clerk	.	800 00	
Attendance Officer		1,000 00	
		<hr/>	\$5,400 00
Incidentals and Insurance	.		5,000 00
Health :—			
School Nurse	.	\$1,400 00	
School Physician		1,000 00	
Supplies	.	100 00	
		<hr/>	2,500 00
Repairs	.	.	7,000 00
Transportation	.	.	4,500 00
Carriage Hire	.	.	1,300 00
Night School	.	.	600 00
Continuation School	.	.	3,500 00
		<hr/>	\$188,665 00

SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.

Heating Plant at Plains Primary

School, estimated . . . \$10,000 00

Heating Plant at Spruce St. School,

estimated . . . 1,000 00

\$11,000 00

GEORGE E. STACY,

For the Committee.

SECRETARY'S REPORT.

RECEIPTS.

Appropriation	\$175,500 00
Transferred from Emergency Fund	1,600 00
	<hr/> \$177,100 00

EXPENDITURES.

Teachers' salaries	\$121,769 60
Fuel	7,987 16
Supplies	9,079 17
Janitors' salaries	8,792 68
Incidentals	5,175 13
Supervision:	
Supt. of Schools....	\$3,507 31
Attendance officer...	733 70
Clerk	845 85
	<hr/> 5,086 86
Health:	
Medical inspection..	\$1,000 00
School nurse.....	1,312 43
Supplies	19 11
	<hr/> 2,331 54
Repairs	7,159 94
Transportation	4,345 55
Carriage hire	1,312 27
Evening School	576 00
Continuation School	3,471 21
Balance	12 89
	<hr/> \$177,100 00

TOWN TREASURER'S RECEIPTS ON ACCOUNT OF SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

State School fund.....	\$16,083 40
Tuition fees, general.....	3,713 19
Miscellaneous receipts	91 50

State reimbursement on account Continuation School	\$1,759 29	
Tuition fees, Continua- tion School.....	8 00	
	<hr/>	1,767 29
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		\$21,657 38
Smith-Hughes fund	213 62	
	<hr/>	\$21,871 00

SUMMARY.

Expenditures	\$177,087 11
Town Treasurer's receipts on ac- count of schools.....	\$21,657 38
Smith-Hughes fund	213 62
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	21,871 00

Net cost of schools to the Town of Milford \$155,216 11

ITEMIZED EXPENDITURES—1925 ACCOUNT.

Fuel:—

Barney Coal Co.	\$1,965 14
H. M. Curtiss Coal Co.....	3,230 92
Hynes & Julian	57 76
B. Vitalini	2,733 34
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	\$7,987 16

Supplies:—

Abbott-McKay Corporation...	\$16 00
Adams, Cushing & Foster....	60
J. Q. Adams Co.....	104 00
Allyn & Bacon	390 85
Ambrose Co.	107 01
American Book Co.	590 30
American Viewpoint Society..	117 50
A. N. Palmer Co.	34 86
Art Extension Society.....	3 00
E. E. Babb Co.....	3,590 01
Boosey & Co.	8 28

Cahill's News Agency.....	2 50
Charlescraft Press	3 50
Churchill-Grindell Co.	50
C. E. Cooney	1 13
N. Danenberg	113 25
Denoyer, Geppert Co.	4 73
Oliver Ditson Co.	14 47
Dowling School Supply Co....	277 79
Emerson & Co.	8 03
Emerson Publishing Co.	11 39
Sam Fox Publishing Co.....	7 29
D. Farquhar	226 60
J. S. Fearis & Bro.	60
F. & D. Co.	15 00
Frost Appliance Co.	1 10
Ginn & Co.	275 44
W. F. Guiler	1 18
J. L. Hammett Co.	238 66
Harcourt, Brace Co.	125 12
Harris & Gilpatric	409 36
D. C. Heath Co.	39 83
Hinds, Hayden & Eldredge...	13 52
Houghton, Mifflin Co.	42 43
C. F. Hovey Co.	5 83
H. R. Hunting Co.....	45 60
Kenney Bros. & Wolkins.....	208 37
King's Ink Co.	56 25
Library Bureau	13 38
J. B. Lippincott Co.....	7 61
Lyons & Carnahan	71 20
Macmillan Co.....	32 75
B. L. Makepeace Co.....	5 76
Martin Diploma Co.	60 00
Milton Bradley Co.....	885 12
Mitchell, Woodbury Co.	7 89
Mittag & Volger	60 00
Office Appliance Co.	17 50
Osborne Office Furniture Co..	27 00

T. W. Reed Co.....	34 50	
Royal Typewriter Co.	2 50	
Ryan & Buker	273 88	
Benj. H. Sanborn Co.....	196 26	
Scott, Foresman Co.....	39 85	
Shea Bros.	81 73	
Chas. N. Smart	2 07	
Standard Cotton Goods Co....	48 75	
Standard Electric Time Co...	2 10	
Underwood Typewriter Co....	8 25	
World Book Co.	87 04	
Wright & Potter Co.	2 15	
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Incidentals:—

Adams, Cushing & Foster....	\$ 15
Andrews Paper Co.	81 25
Avery & Woodbury Co.....	10 00
D. Bermes Co.	15 05
G. M. Billings	227 50
Cahill's News Agency.....	2 75
A. O. Caswell	114 51
H. S. Chadbourne Co.	147 73
Charlescraft Press	13 75
City Treasurer, Worcester...	593 38
A. Schuyler Clapp.....	9 40
Commissioner of Public Safety	18 00
Prof. Z. W. Coombs.....	50 00
C. E. Cooney	15 75
A. O. Coulliard	3 00
Crowell & DeWitt	21 65
H. M. Curtiss Coal Co.....	2 01
Dillon Bros.	35 00
C. B. Dolge Co.	71 00
S. A. Eastman Co.	3 60
F. & D. Co.	8 80
F. A. Gould	370 00
William Foster	50 50
Lucille G. French	5 69

Fuller & Wilson Express Co...	25 90
Arthur Gilmore	1 50
W. O. Hartshorne	17 75
Bernard Hickey	28 00
F. J. Jameson	54 47
W. P. Jones Electric Co.....	11 25
Ralph R. Kendall	43 43
Kenney Bros. & Wolkins.....	1,005 60
C. H. Kimball	81 00
Lundstrom Mfg. Co.	5 50
F. E. Mann & Son.....	151 43
Massachusetts State Prison..	76 26
A. W. McKinley	5 16
Milford Daily News.....	20 70
Milford Electric Light & Pow- er Co.	443 29
Milford Furniture Co.	14 26
Milford Gas Light Co.....	99 94
Milford Water Co.	678 64
National Education Assn.....	1 00
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.....	225 69
C. J. Peters Co.....	26 00
D. E. F. Radasch.....	33 00
E. L. Ramsdell	60 87
Reformatory for Women.....	33 27
Rochester Germicide Co.....	32 00
Inez San Clemente.....	26 00
Standard Electric Time Co...	16 05
H. L. Stearns Desk Co.....	35 50
Bernard Torosian	30 00
Underhay Oil Co.	21 20

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Repairs:—

American Seating Co.....	\$31 21
Avery & Woodbury Co.....	234 25
Joe Balboni	18 00
C. L. Barnard Co.	51 00
Cahill's News Agency.....	1 25

A. O. Caswell	1 50
H. S. Chadbourne Co.....	6 19
Peter Consigli	560 65
J. F. Damon	469 20
Efficiency Engineering Corp..	280 00
Eldredge & Son	273 14
Clark Ellis & Sons.....	313 50
F. A. Gould	454 61
J. L. Hammett Co.	13 46
J. E. Higgiston	95 50
W. P. Jones Electric Co.....	234 74
Kenney Bros. & Wolkins.....	28 77
W. J. Maguire Co.	365 70
T. F. Maher	539 25
A. W. McKinley	1,091 72
T. E. Morse Co.....	130 53
Payroll, Highway Department	28 73
E. F. Porter	634 15
W. L. & J. F. Power	18 52
Louis Pratt	33 70
Hugh Ray	97 00
A. Rosenfeld	20 00
Royal Typewriter Co.	8 50
E. J. Stuart	6 75
Underwood Typewriter Co....	3 00
Waters & Hynes	1,054 76
Werber & Rose, Inc.....	13 80
F. W. Woolworth Co.....	2 80

\$7,159 94

Continuation School:—

Salaries	\$2,759 73
Supervision	30 02
Attendance officer	332 97
Clerical service	24 85
Boston Saw Repairing Co....	1 37
Century Co.	1 28
H. S. Chadbourne Co.....	15 57
C. E. Cooney	4 67

H. M. Curtiss Coal Co.....	2 50	
Ginn & Co.	2 13	
F. A. Gould	3 15	
A. B. Holden	78 00	
Houghton, Mifflin Co.	83	
D. C. Heath Co.	1 37	
W. P. Jones Electric Co.....	8 38	
Library Bureau	9 01	
Louisa Lake Ice Co.....	1 10	
Lyons & Carnahan	1 55	
R. B. McKim Co., Inc.....	12 23	
Milford Electric Light & Pow- er Co.	18 06	
Milford Gas Light Co.....	10 12	
Milford Water Co.....	78 36	
Shea Bros.	65 53	
Sherman's Laundry	8 43	
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Cost Graph.



COMPARISON OF EXPENDITURES ON A
PERCENTAGE BASIS, 1924 and 1925.

	1924	1925	Increase	Decrease
Salaries	68.00	68.80	0.80	
Fuel	5.10	4.51		59
Supplies	4.60	5.13	.53	
Care	5.20	4.95		.25
Incidentals	2.30	2.92	.62	
Supervision	2.90	2.85		.05
Health	1.50	1.31		.19
Repairs	5.00	4.04		.96
Transportation . . .	2.00	2.46	.46	
Carriage Hire (Transportation of teachers) . . . .	.70	.75	.05	
Night School . . . . .	.40	.32		.08
Continuation School	2.30	1.93		.34

Summary of Statistics.

	1924-25	Jan. 1, 1926
Public Schools	66	67
School buildings	20	20
Teachers employed:		
High School	18	21
Grades	67	68
Special teachers	4	5
	89	94

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE, 1924-1925.

Number enrolled, 7 to 14 years of age.....			1937
Total enrollment:	High School Grades		
Boys	244	1311	1555
Girls	244	1178	1422
	488	2489	2977
Average membership	447	2331	2778
Average attendance	427	2206	2633
Percentage of attendance.....	95.5	94.2	94.8

CONTINUATION SCHOOL.

ATTENDANCE.

	Total Enrollment, 1924-1925	Jan. 1, 1926
Enrolled:		
Boys	72	41
Girls	82	53
	154	94
Average Membership:		
Boys	31.9	
Girls	35.8	
	67.7	

Average Attendance:

Boys	29.7
Girls	34.1

Total	63.8
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Percentage of Attendance:

Boys	93.1
Girls	95.2

Combined	94.2
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Report of the Superintendent of Schools.

To the Honorable School Committee of the Town of
Milford.

Gentlemen :—

I have the honor to present my 15th annual report as superintendent of your schools, the 48th of such reports in Milford.

OVERCROWDED SCHOOLS.

Our most pressing problem is still "overcrowding." The public is fairly familiar with the story of congestion in the schools of Milford.

A comparison of the total enrollment figures for 15 years, i. e., beginning with the school year 1910-1911 and ending with the school year 1924-1925, the last year for which the complete figures are available, shows the following increases in actual numbers and on a percentage basis:

	1910-1911	1924-1925	Increases	Percent of Increase
High School	211	488	277	131½%
Grades	1891	2489	598	31%
Total	2102	2977	875	41.6%

(The above figures do not include Continuation Schools.)

The figures for 1916-17, the school year in which the George E. Stacy School was opened, were:

High School	348
Grades	2074
Total	2422

The enrollments have increased from 1916-17 to

1924-25 *by 555 pupils and* NOT A CUBIC FOOT OF NEW SCHOOL HOUSE CONSTRUCTION HAS BEEN UNDERTAKEN!

The attendance forecast for September, 1925, published in the school report of a year ago, indicated an attendance of 533 in the High School and of 455 in the Stacy School. Despite the return to employment of a considerable number of school children,—a movement that set in just before the opening of school last September and has continued at a more or less lively pace ever since,—these figures were nearly realized in the attendance at the High School and considerably exceeded in the attendance at the Stacy School for the school year now current. Anticipating these results, plans were made early in the summer whereby the administrative quarters in room 2, Stacy School, were given up, room 14 in the Stacy School was given up as a sewing room, thus gaining two school rooms, the portables released to the use of two divisions of the High School morning platoon during the forenoon and a Continuation School class and an afternoon Stacy class during the afternoon. The freshman class has the afternoon session in the High School, as one year ago, while the three upper classes have the morning session and, as already stated, have spilled over into the two portables. As already mentioned, there was an extra class in the Stacy School that could only be provided with a school room by housing them in a portable for an afternoon session. As a result of the real estate development on Purchase Street, the term opened with sixty children at the Fountain Street School, which necessitated a double platoon in that district. These conditions made necessary the equipping of room 2 in the Stacy School with seats and desks at a cost of several hundred dollars and the appointment of three additional teachers in the High School, one additional teacher in the Stacy School and one additional teacher at Fountain Street.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT TAKES ACTION.

The records of the school committee and their pub-

lished reports for a dozen years show that this department has sensed such conditions early. In the summer of 1924 the outlook was considered and the need for more school room, particularly in the case of the High School, was clearly recognized. During the fall months half a dozen plans were drawn, looking to added room for the High School and secondarily, by transfer of High School pupils resident in another building, to the enlargement of grammar school facilities. The plan illustrated and fully described in the Milford Daily News of February 14, 1925, was adopted by the committee, for reasons clearly stated at the time—that it solved the problem far more completely and more nearly in line with the best modern practice than any of the others reviewed. I firmly believe that this plan is still the best solution of which we have any knowledge. The plan did not fully meet with public favor at the time, however, and a committee on school accommodations, comprising the school board, the board of selectmen and two citizens, was appointed at the March Town meeting a year ago to recanvass the entire matter. This committee has held a number of meetings since its appointment, but, so far, without coming to any degree of unanimity as to a proposal or suggestion. The plan to build a number of school rooms near the High and Stacy Schools and spend such sums as are necessary to modernize the sanitary conveniences or heating units, or both, in certain of the older buildings, has met with considerable favor. While the writer is convinced that the plan adopted by the school committee a year ago is still the best so far considered, still, if it does not appeal and cannot be made to appeal to the majority of citizens, then he would strongly recommend another solution that has been suggested and meets with some favor, namely: that the Town acquire by purchase or right of eminent domain a tract of land suitably located and build thereon a new High School designed in accordance with the best modern practice, taking account of all the elements of the problem.

constructed of suitable materials and heated, lighted, equipped and furnished in a first-class manner.

Regarding the proposal to spend considerable sums in improving conditions in certain older buildings, two lines of improvement are involved: first, the modernizing of toilet conveniences and connecting buildings with the Town sewers, and, second, the improvement of heating units. At this point, a clear distinction exists, for while modern steam or hot water heating units are desirable in all buildings, the heating plants at all the buildings in Town, excepting two rooms in the Chapin Street School, the one room Fountain Street School and the Braggville and Bear Hill Schools, the latter with 13 and 14 pupils, respectively, are modern at least to this extent—that fresh air is taken from outdoors and thoroughly warmed for the children, and, in some cases systems of ventilation exist. With reference to the conveniences in the buildings under discussion, little can be said in their favor and nobody questions the need of improvement. Attention is called, however, in this connection, to the fact that for the last 15 years, every school report has called the attention of the citizens to these conditions and recommended a project of improvement in at least one, often two, and in one or two instances, three schools or districts.

An inspection discloses the fact that heating plants were recommended for the larger buildings in 1910, 1911, 1912 and 1913 (incidental to new building)—realized in 1917 for 15 rooms; and in 1918—realized in 1919 for 16 rooms,—a total of 31 rooms; and that heating plants were recommended for the older and smaller buildings in 1910, 1913, 1914, 1916, 1917, 1918 and 1919,—realized in 1911, 1916, 1919, 1924 and 1925 for a total of 10 buildings and 29 rooms. An inspection of the recommendation pages for the last 15 school reports also shows that better sanitary conditions, directly or incidental to and included in recommendations for enlarging or remodelling old buildings or for new buildings, were made in 1910 (Claffin), realized in 1911; recommended in 1910 and 1911 (Park), realized

in 1912; recommended in 1910 (Plains Grammar); recommended in 1910, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1923 and 1924 (South), overwhelmingly defeated in the Town meeting of March, 1921; recommended in 1910, 1911, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924 (Plains District); recommended in 1912, 1913, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924 (High School). Moreover the reader will find, in this report current, recommendations for new heating plants in the Spruce Street School and for the older half of the Plains Primary School,—two modern buildings not included in the school accommodations committee's project.

CONTINUED IMPROVEMENT IN THE HEALTH OF SCHOOL CHILDREN.

Attention is again called to the report of the school physicians. A year ago it was reported that the number of "normals" — children having no physical defects — showed an increase from 9% in 1911 to 22% in 1924. This year there is noted a further increase in the percentage of "normals" to 28% for the Town and 31% for the Stacy School. As observed in the report of one year ago, this result is largely attributable to the ministrations of the school nurse and the Dental Clinic.

THE DENNISON PLAN.

A discussion of the Dennison plan, recently adopted by your committee,—a presentation somewhat more in detail than appears in Principal Quirk's report—should be of interest to readers of this report. What I have called the "Dennison Plan" is a commercial training project of the Dennison Manufacturing Co., of Framingham, Mass., in pursuance of which they offer a five weeks' course of intensive commercial training in the Dennison commercial school and offices, the time and work about equally divided between school instruction and office practice. The course is for five weeks, two weeks IN and OUT (or otherwise as may be arranged) from 9:00 A. M. to 12 M. and from 12:30 to 2:30 P. M., Monday to Friday, inclusive.

The course includes (1) General Study: The use of passes, clock cards, clinic, library and other employee activities; (2) History and Organization: Study of the organization of industry, gradual growth, need for organization, various types of business organization, history of the beginnings of the Dennison Manufacturing Co., fundamentals of the organization of the Dennison Manufacturing Co., functions of the main divisions of any factory organization; (3) Filing: Library Bureau course in filing, followed by detailed work with material handled according to present Dennison Manufacturing Co., standard practice in central files, card records, accounts receivable, factory accounting; (4) Machine Practice: Brief instruction and practice periods on the following machines: addressograph, comptometer, dictaphone, folding, mimeograph, multigraph, Monroe calculating, sealing and stamping, standard practice on typewriters in connection with daily work in training. Class room work will be with dummy sets of material made up from actual copies and following exactly the procedure in the different sections being studied. These sets will be made for: Filing, transcribing, card records, order writers, billing, control section (sales account); (5) Class Room Work: Daily typing practice, daily drill in English, practice work with dummy sets, frequent talks by people from other departments, daily talks on good business ethics and the need for accuracy and for acquiring right business habits. By gradual steps, the routine work necessary in the various sections of the sales division and all the operations from the receipt of a customer's order until the closing of his account, will be covered.

Candidates for Clerical Training: Seniors taking the commercial course. *Credits:* Work is carefully graded and rated and weekly reports and grading sent to the school. *Tests:* Tests are given each student applying for these training courses. Additional measurement tests will be used at times throughout the course.

Students are put to no additional expense on account

of this course. The Dennison Manufacturing Co. will be glad to employ any of these students who measure up to Dennison standards and who wish such employment.

HIGH SCHOOL.

The sixth annual report of Principal Quirk of the High School is substantially as follows:

INCREASED ENROLLMENT.

During the past fifteen years the people of Milford have seen a steady increase in the enrollment of the High School until we reached 500 in September of last year, an increase of approximately 300 students. The double platoon system adopted in 1924 has been followed during the past year. The three upper classes were so large, however, that we were forced to use the two portable buildings, between the High and Stacy Schools, for additional class rooms. These rooms are hardly suitable for High School students because of the frequent changing of classes. Last September, on account of the size of the senior and junior classes, we were forced to form more divisions in our required subjects, making it necessary to add two more teachers. The net time of holding classes in the afternoon was so short that I arranged the sections so that each one has less than 25 students. This was the only arrangement whereby they could hope to receive even a fair amount of individual attention. This limiting of the sizes of these classes has made necessary the appointment of an additional teacher of freshman subjects. It might be of interest to mention that at the present time we have 21 divisions of senior, 26 of junior, 27 of sophomore and 37 divisions of freshman subjects. We have endeavored to follow out our conservative policy. Only one change has been made in the curriculum and that in the commercial course wherein one year of stenography is required instead of two.

GRADUATION EXERCISES—PRIZES AND AWARDS.

Seventy students graduated last June before one of the largest commencement audiences ever assembled in

the Town Hall. For the first time in many years, no essays were delivered by the students. The graduation program, given entire, further on in the document of which this is a part, consisted of several musical selections, well rendered under the efficient direction of Supervisor Helena F. Swift. Miss Dorcas Whipple, art supervisor, had charge of the very pleasing decorations. Professor Zelotes W. Coombs, chairman of the board of admissions at Worcester Polytechnic Institute, gave a splendid address on education and closed with some sound advice to the members of the graduating class. Hon. John C. Lynch, acting chairman of the school committee, presented the diplomas to the members of the graduating class and gave an address on education and the current needs of the school department. Then followed these awards: Jacob Broudy, '26, first prize of \$20 in gold for the Patrick Peace essay on "Will Exclusion Lead to War—A Discussion of the Present Immigration Law"; Evelyn Moore, '26, second prize of \$15; Charles Cox, '26, third prize of \$10; and William Marcus, '25, the fourth prize of \$5. Clarence F. O'Connell was awarded the special book prize, the gift of the class of 1917—interest from Liberty bonds—awarded annually to the senior with the highest average in English, history and Latin for four years. Thomas F. Davoren was given the Dr. John V. Gallagher medal awarded annually to the boy making the "M" in athletics at least three times and also obtaining the highest scholastic standing for those eligible for this prize. The Daily News Company's award of \$5 in gold, given to the member of the baseball team with the highest batting average who participated in at least 90% of the games from May 1 until the end of the season and had a scholastic average of at least 75%, was won by Thomas F. Davoren. The other prize of \$5 given by the Daily News to the boy having the best fielding average during the above named period and participating in the same number of games and having a similar scholastic average, was also won by Mr. Davoren. The premium book prize offered for excel-

lence in all freshman subjects was given to Robert Billings, '28. Typewriting medals were awarded to Mary L. Consoletti, '25, Evelyn M. Spadoni, '26, and Bessie I. Pressman, '26. Diplomas were given to Lillian G. Bagley, '25, Theresa E. Balconi, '25, Josephine M. Calarese, '25, Laura R. Consoletti, '25, Mary J. Fisher, '25, Grace B. Flemming, '25, Sarah E. Ford, '25, Mary F. Ianzito, '25, Sylvia D. Kurlan, '25, Ida R. Kurlansky, '25, Dorothy E. Peterson, '25, Harry Rosenfeld, '25, Albin B. Seastrom, '25, and Laura M. Wheeler, '25. Miriam Claflin, '26, was awarded the Miss Sadie A. O'Connell Posture Medal, given annually to the student in the expression classes showing the greatest development in posture during the year. Miss Esther Broudy, '27, was awarded \$5 in gold by the Milford Lodge of Elks for the best essay written on "How did the contributions of the U. S. S. Constitution help to win the War of 1812?" The High School students in the vicinity of Milford competed in the contest and I congratulate Miss Broudy upon her success.

OAK, LILY AND IVY.

The Oak, Lily and Ivy was published in June under the supervision of Miss Marion A. Ryan of the English department and was as great a literary and financial success as in previous years. Miss Mae E. Birmingham had charge of the business arrangements connected with the publication. From the proceeds, sweaters were purchased for the boys who earned the "M" during 1924-1925. Congratulations are due the members of the faculty and the class of 1925, whose earnest endeavors made this publication possible.

DRAMATIC, MUSICAL, ATHLETIC.

During the past year Miss Catherine A. Somers re-organized the General Science Club, an institution formed two years ago by Miss Margaret G. Quirk but abandoned last year on account of the double platoon arrangement. Trips have been planned to several local manufacturing plants. The David Garrick Dramatic Club had a larger

membership than ever before and under the leadership of Miss Sadie A. O'Connell, conducted two entertainments, both of which were very successful. "Suppressed Desires", "Jon"; and "Hop o' My Thumb", "Yniard" were presented by the Club. The enthusiasm and interest in the Club seems to be increasing and shows that the members of the Club fully appreciate the work accomplished by the faculty director. The High School orchestra under the leadership of William Marcus furnished music for our many assemblies and at the graduation exercises. Mr. Albert D. Riopel had charge of our athletic teams and did very creditable work. The baseball team was up to the standard of previous years and our football team performed exceptionally well considering the number of injuries sustained during the latter part of September. Mr. Riopel's strong point is discipline and he has impressed upon the members of the athletic teams the importance of clean play. Athletics must be looked upon as a means of developing character, manliness, and self-control rather than a champion team each year.

SOCIAL.

During the past year the class of 1925 conducted four dances, two in the assembly hall, one in the Legion hall, and the annual May dance in the Town Hall. The receipts of the first two were given to the Athletic Association. The proceeds of the dance in the Legion hall and of the May dance, amounting to \$177.05, have been put in the bank to be used in completing the veterans' honor roll in the corridor of the High School.

GIFTS.

During the year it has been my pleasure to acknowledge the receipt of the sum of \$40 from the class of 1900, which was used in purchasing a beautiful Alquist marine view which now hangs in the assembly hall. The Milford Lodge of Elks entertained the members of our football team with a banquet in the Elks' Home on December 15. Mr. Thomas J. Welch, Exalted Ruler, presided, and, after

welcoming the guests, introduced Mr. Frederick W. Fitzsimmons, a Past District Deputy of the Elks, as toastmaster. Among the speakers were Mr. Jake Turner, center of the Harvard University team; Mr. Frederick V. Ostergren, one of the football coaches of Malden High School; Committeemen Alfred B. Cenedella, John C. Lynch and John E. Swift, Superintendent A. O. Caswell, Submaster Francis C. Berry, Coach Albert D. Riopel, Manager Edward F. O'Sullivan and Captain Alfred Alzerini. About 175 enjoyed the banquet and the evening's entertainment. The boys are very grateful to the Elks for the splendid dinner and reception.

THE DENNISON PLAN.

During the month of December, Mr. Rogers and Miss Farquhar, members of the executive staff of the Dennison Manufacturing Company, visited us to discuss the adoption of a co-operative plan of education whereby some students in our senior commercial section might take a five weeks' course of training in the Dennison plant. I am working out a plan at the present time and expect to put it into effect in February. The offer is unusual and offers our seniors a training in the practical side of commercial work.

DIFFICULTIES.

Before concluding my report I wish to mention some things which at the present time are working to the disadvantage of the students. In the portable buildings we are not afforded good light, our blackboard space is limited, and the desks are not properly equipped for writing purposes. In addition, the students who are forced to go back and forth to the High School are subjected to the inclemency of the weather from November until April. In the High School, we are using four rooms which lack stationary desks and chairs and which offer no facilities for writing with pen and ink. One of the rooms used has no blackboards and of course is not a practical classroom. The laboratories are small and congested; and a much larger typewriting room would be greatly appreciated.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

As soon as better housing conditions are offered, I would recommend that the school day be increased so that we have at least five net school hours; secondly, to have a longer school period and if possible to have five 60-minute periods instead of six 42-minute periods as at the present time; thirdly, the consideration of the accomplishment plan of work as adopted in other High Schools; fourthly, the consideration of a three-year commercial course to meet the needs of some of the students. In recommending a change in the length of our school day, I would say that the opportunities of study are not afforded in the home at the present time. Too many outside activities interfere. Consequently, to meet the situation, I think our only hope rests in and will continue to rest in having a portion of this study during school hours.

STACY SCHOOL.

Principal W. A. Beaudry notes the following salient features of the year under review in the Stacy School:

The establishment of a school library of 350 volumes, using the Worcester Public Library system.

Specialization of teachers in one major subject.

A system of co-operative government known as the "Stacy Epheboi." Discussing this, Mr. Beaudry says in part: "This is but another experiment in the self-government of adolescents * * * If we can but inculcate the belief that it pays to live in accord with the code of child-morals as accepted by the Boy Scouts, we feel that we are in the right direction. * * *"

Medal awards: Through the efforts of Mr. Charles Frye, the American Legion medal is to be awarded annually in the public and private grammar schools in the Town, to the boy and to the girl who best represent those qualities of character and ability, which, when properly cultivated and matured, will result in worthy citizenship and well rounded manhood and well balanced womanhood.

In our school last year these medals were awarded to Lewis Clarke and Vera White.

On the same basis of merit, the D. A. R. awarded medals to one boy and one girl from each eighth grade as follows: room 7, James Calcagne and Lena Valentino; room 8, Lewis Clarke and Josephine Tacconi; room 9, John Villani and Louise Tognazzi; room 11, Edward Riolli and Louise Marino; room 12, Gordon Shaw and Vera White; room 13, Louis Iadarola and Sarah Foye.

A medal for excellence in American naval history was presented to Anna M. Smith by Commander Marion Eppley, U. S. N. R., for the best essay upon U. S. Frigate Constitution written during the nationwide appeal for her restoration.

Class changing: The procedure of class changing instituted early this autumn has passed the experimental stage. It is successful, the teachers' work being more effective and disciplinary problems lessened. The pupils almost unanimously endorse this practice. The school day is more agreeable than when the personnel of any one room remained in that room throughout the school day.

Exhibit: During the past year we made a considerable collection of industrial products for study in connection with commercial geography.

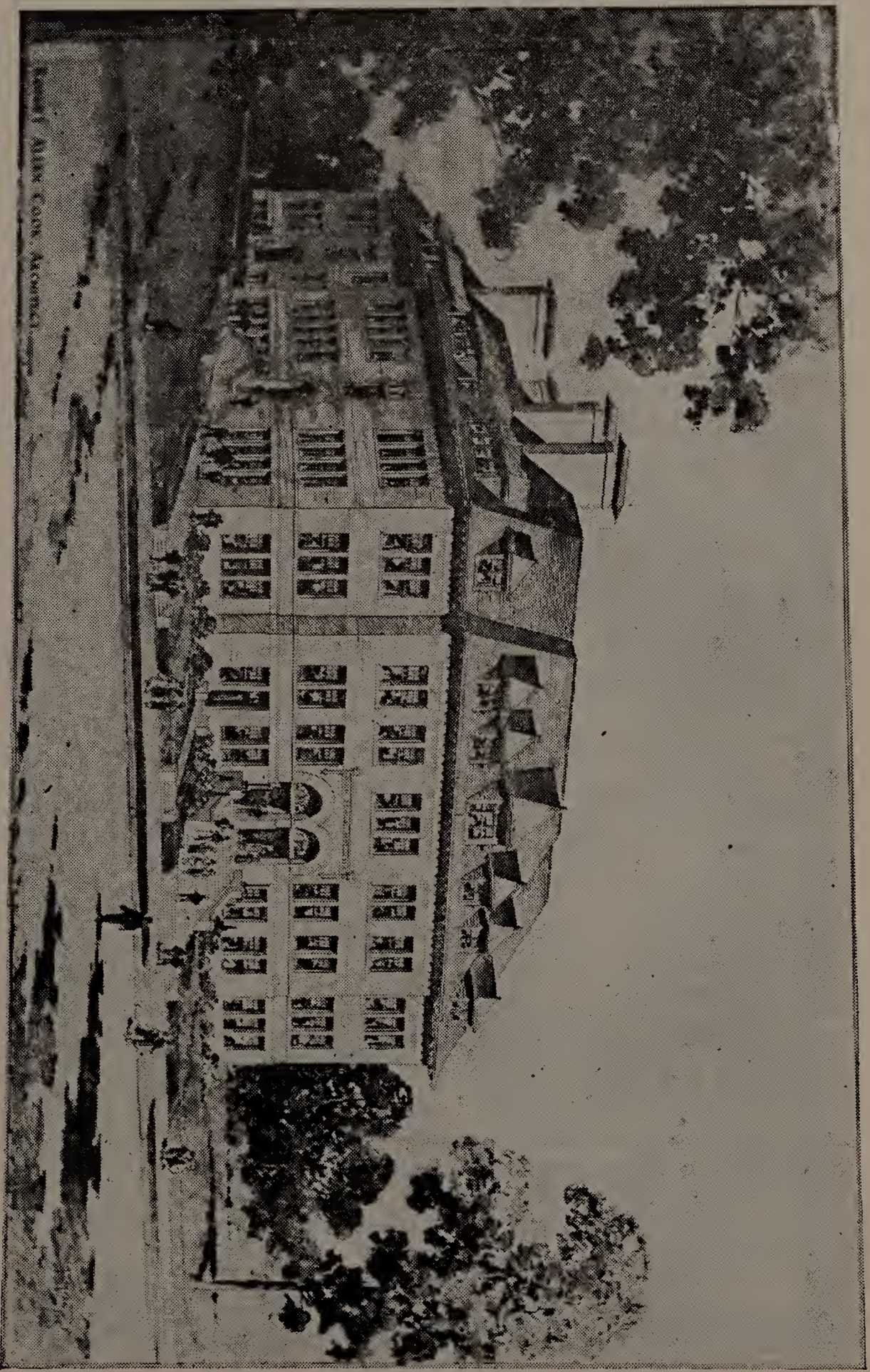
Extra curricular activities:

Athletics: A most successful year of baseball. Football played on the grounds at recess. (Pushball not desired.)

Plays: "Bookland," "The Magic Fountain," "Gooseherd and Goblin."

CONTINUATION SCHOOL.

Owing to the stagnant industrial conditions, the enrollment of the Continuation School had, by the end of June, reached the lowest point in its history, but with the partial revival of business, the tide of young people turned shopward toward the end of the summer vacation, so that now, these classes are of about their normal size.



Designed by ALLEN COOK, ARCHT.

PROPOSED ENLARGEMENT OF THE HIGH SCHOOL.

GIRLS' SCHOOL.

In her account of the year's work under review Mrs. Dunn says:

"The Milford Girls' Continuation School opened September 9, 1925, with an enrollment of 51 members. The membership thus far has remained practically the same.

"As stated in previous reports, the work is divided into ten-week periods, of clothing and food work respectively, with related academic work.

"We welcomed the opportunity given at the recent trade show to exhibit some of the articles made by the various classes. The public viewed the work with interest.

"A course in home nursing given by a trained worker would be of great value to these girls."

BOYS' SCHOOL.

Concerning the Boys' School, Mr. Chilson says in part:

"The work of the Boys' Continuation School for the past year has been much the same as in previous years. Particular stress is laid on instruction that influences the boy's later life, i. e., lessons in honesty, industry, neatness, courtesy, etc.

"The shop is particularly useful in giving instruction about home work; with the tools we have, most of the repair work about the house can be done.

"Some attention is given to the boys' leisure time, with suggestions about good reading and correct habits.

"The Continuation School is performing an important duty with boys between 14 and 16 years of age. At that critical period in a boy's life, instruction is given them that they would not get from any source were they allowed to drift out of school authority. With more time, space and equipment, the Continuation School could offer a larger service to the boys, their parents and to their employers.

"What this type of youth needs is trade training and

I believe they are entitled to it. What little we have been able to do has given great satisfaction.

"In closing, I wish to say that the Continuation School and what it has done have been approved by the Associated Industries of New England."

NIGHT SCHOOL.

Mr. W. J. Moore, principal of the Evening School, observes in part:

"As in previous years, the term was for twelve weeks, three nights per week. The courses offered were also as in previous years, including subjects of first seven grades, particularly teaching of English and Americanization subjects.

"The enrollment was the smallest in years, due in some measure to the decrease of compulsory pupils, or the illiterate minors in our community; in 1924 we had forty-six compulsory pupils, in 1925 we had but twenty-four, twelve of these being twenty years of age and will reach their majority, will be beyond the compulsory age before another term begins, so that unless we have a large increase in compulsory pupils, which has not been the case for some years, we can look forward to a very small enrollment in 1926.

"I think the time has arrived when Milford could offer to the citizens High School courses at its Evening School; I think if sufficient notice were given before the opening of school that many would avail themselves of the opportunity of these higher courses."

STATISTICS OF THE EVENING SCHOOL.

Total enrollment, 54; males, 36; females, 18; illiterates, 32; literates, 22; minors, 35; adults, 19; average membership, 36.48; average attendance, 29.33; per cent of attendance, 80.

NATIONALITIES.

Italian, 38; American, 5; Portuguese, 4; German, 3; Jewish, 2; Armenian, 1; French, 1.

PLACES OF EMPLOYMENT.

Draper Corporation, 12; Arch Rubber Co., 6; Wm. Lapworth & Sons, 5; Milford Shoe Co., 3; Huckins & Temple Shoe Co., 3; Herman Shoe Co., 2; Bellingham Woolen Co., 3; Taft Woolen Co., 2; C. Cavigioli, 2; Denison Manufacturing Co., 1; Carr Rubber Co., 1; Archer Strauss Rubber Co., 1.

THRIFT TEACHING IN THE SCHOOLS.

It will be recalled that for 20 years, down to 1921, a thrift savings system was conducted by representatives of the Quinshipaug Woman's Club, with gratifying success; also during and subsequent to the war, thrift teaching continued in the form of war stamps savings. The time came when interest in the latter fell away. We have felt the urge toward something to take the place of the efforts referred to. After some investigation, and after conference with the authorities of the Milford Savings Bank, this department accepted the offer of that bank to install the "Mutual Savings Banks of Massachusetts" system of school savings and thrift teaching. So far, the system has worked well.

Savings for the first week of 1926, by schools, were as follows: Stacy, \$333.70; Plains Primary, \$184.11; Plains Grammar, \$144.57; Park, \$123.23; Claffin, \$99.81; Spruce Street, \$94.70; Oliver Street, \$88.77; South Grammar, \$42.46; Chapin Street, \$39.61; West Street, \$23.21; Purchase Grammar, \$22.41; Hoboken, \$11.18; Purchase Primary, \$9.40; Fountain Street, \$5.17; Bear Hill, \$1.05; Braggville, 65 cents; total, \$1,224.03.

Even more striking is the showing for the fall term, 1925, eleven banking days: Stacy, \$1,865.50; Spruce, \$403.86; Park, \$479.49; South, \$357.44; Plains Grammar, \$694.61; Plains Primary, \$345.70; Claffin, \$509.90; Oliver Street, \$501.68; Chapin Street, \$188.14; West Street, \$99.02; Hoboken, \$45.29; Fountian Street, \$114.86; Purchase Grammar, \$101.92; Purchase Primary, \$80.31;

Bear Hill, \$18.47; Braggville, \$7.03; Continuation, \$21.15; total, \$6,334.37.

Two thousand forty pupils have school savings bank books and 1,317 have transferred to new savings bank books in addition to those who had bank books before.

The conspicuous advantages of this system are that it is a real banking system and involves no vending machines to get out of order or furnish an opportunity for, and temptation to, burglarizing; there are no stamps or tokens to become lost and be accounted for, but each student has a school pass book and when an individual deposit amounts to \$1.00, the holder of the school pass book can, upon application, receive the usual pass book at the bank. His money is deposited and draws interest the same as that of any adult depositor. Thus, the pupils are taught the principles of saving and have practice in actual banking procedure. Tuesday of each week is banking day and in-town schools do their own banking, while deposits from the rural schools are sent to the office of the superintendent of schools, who banks for them each Wednesday. A small amount of the teacher's time is required to work out the details once a week, but this slight burden should become even smaller as time goes on and the objects to be gained are well worth a larger sacrifice of time than is required.

In connection with thrift savings in the schools, the Savings Bank Association of Massachusetts has inaugurated a composition contest offering three prizes for compositions written by public school pupils: \$15.00 for the best High School paper, \$10.00 for the best Junior High School paper and \$5.00 for the best paper written by pupils of grades V and VI, on appropriate subjects. The contest closes March 15, 1926.

The Association has also started a poster contest among the pupils of the public schools, with prizes of \$15.00, \$10.00 and \$5.00 for the first, second and third best posters, respectively. Steps have been taken to inter-

est the pupils in the Milford public schools in these contests.

ANNUAL TRADE SHOW.

The School Department was invited to place an exhibition in the annual trade show held under auspices of the Milford Chamber of Commerce, November 4, 5 and 6, 1925. This invitation came at the wrong time of the year and was received so near the date of opening that no full general exhibit of the work of the public schools could be made. However, the High School commercial department, the drawing department and the Girls' Continuation School filled two-thirds of the dining room at the armory with exhibits of penmanship and other commercial work by the commercial department; drawings in black and white, and colored in different media, mechanical drawings, etc., for the art department, and a most worthy and attractive exhibit of sewing and cooking by the Girls' Continuation School. Considering the adverse conditions—time of year and brevity of notice already referred to—this exhibit, while only a partial one, was nevertheless highly creditable to the school sections represented.

PHYSICAL TRAINING.

In his first report Mr. Riopel comments as follows:

“During the past year I have had the privilege of directing the pupils of the school system in this line of education with the end in view of improving the general health of the students, improving their postures, cultivating a spirit of fairness, improving their carriage and developing a grace of body movement. The means employed to produce the desired effects has been based upon instruction in hygiene, formal gymnastics, games and rhythmic playing.

“The form of exercise given was carried on during the early part of 1925 from the third to the ninth grade inclusive. The plan in the grades called for daily exercises, ten minutes in the morning and the same amount of

time in the afternoon. In the High School the arrangement of work was somewhat different. Because of the large number of students, the only class that I could reach was the freshman and two days per week were devoted to the work in the High School, Mondays for the girls, Fridays for boys. At the beginning of May the work in the High School was abandoned because of the training of the baseball team, but the work in the grades was continued as usual. In September of this year I took up the work in the first and second grades so that we now have some form of physical education in all grades up to the second year of the High School and I am pleased to say that I have noticed a considerable improvement in the points desired.

“Much has been done in baseball and football. The former made a very creditable showing last year. Because of frequent injuries, our football team did not make the same record that previous teams have. Its schedule was a severe test for the boys, but considering the number of new men and the loss of some of our regulars, the work was quite satisfactory. After all, it is felt that we are engaged in athletic competition not merely with the view of winning every game but of creating a friendly rivalry among the high schools and of affording the boys the opportunity of developing strength, character and self-control. We attempted to take up basketball but found we had no proper facilities for continuing it.

“In making my recommendations, I would mention the need of a gymnasium so that the work of the grades and the High School in physical education could be promoted on a larger scale and under suitable conditions. At the same time we would have the opportunity of playing basketball and have more students of the school in the various forms of athletics.”

MUSIC.

The ever increasing congestion in the schools has made the work in the music department even more diffi-

cult than in previous years. Miss Swift again calls attention to the need of a second instructor in music, a suggestion which I endorse and which will be found among the formal recommendations at the end of my report. Commenting on the work of her department, Miss Swift says in part:

"In the High School, the pupils are studying choral work. Special attention is given to phrasing, enunciation and pronunciation, and results are gratifying.

"In our Junior High and Grammar grades, particular care has been given to reading music correctly, to balancing of parts, to observing keenly the marks of expression, and to singing easy, mellow musical tones with a pure intonation.

"A newly arranged group of songs, of excellent quality, taught by rote, and adapted to the interests of young children, precede the teaching of the reading and writing of music in the primary grades.

"The increasing number of rooms necessary to accommodate the pupils in our schools, makes it very difficult to spend sufficient time with each class, so as to insure proper instruction in music.

"I strongly recommend the installation in each building of a victrola or some musical instrument as an aid toward the appreciation of good music."

DRAWING.

HIGH AND STACY SCHOOLS.

Miss Whipple, head of the drawing department, reviews the year's work as follows:

"The drawing classes of the High School continue to increase in number from year to year. At the beginning of the school year, September, 1925, there were registered for drawing a total of 269 pupils in comparison with the 200 pupils registered the previous year, 1924, a gain of 69 pupils. Although handicapped somewhat by this overcrowding, we are endeavoring to accomplish the work required.

"Our work in drawing for this year follows the same general outline as in the previous year, with more attention given to lettering.

"The course in drawing is based on such art principles as will have a direct bearing upon the pupil's life. Every educated person should understand something of the laws of growth as shown in plants and flowers; of landscape shapes and effects; of the representation of the forms, proportions and colors of objects; the elementary laws of perspective and finally of the principles of design, which are universal in their application. This, then, is our aim: to familiarize the pupil with these laws and teach him to apply them to his own problems in life.

"A small exhibit of High School students' art work was on display at the Milford Trade Show and those interested had the opportunity of seeing a little of what we are trying to accomplish.

"One member of the class of 1924 is attending an Art School."

GRADES.

The work in drawing below the seventh grade has been in the hands of Miss Vetrana Mazzarelli. Realizing that drawing is the form medium of the arts and crafts and the sciences and the engineering profession and is the universal language of industry, the supervisor and teachers have co-operated the past year in striving to develop in the children a love for and pleasure in drawing as a means of expression. They have stressed the important elements of drawing: color work, designing, lettering, flower drawing, holiday projects and poster work.

EXTENSION SERVICE 4 H CLUB WORK.

(A Co-operating Activity.)

Mrs. Cora M. Granger, in charge of the local extension service for girls, gives the following interesting account of that work for the year:

"The 4 H Canning Club has had a very successful year, the 12 girls enrolled as members meeting every two

weeks at the Stacy School cooking room. About 600 jars of fruits, vegetables, jams and jellies were conserved.

"The girls exhibited work at the New England Fair, Gardner Fair and the Boston Food Show, taking cash and ribbon prizes at the two former, and gaining experience at the latter. Again this year the girls exhibited at the local Trade Show, making an exceptionally fine showing with a display of 300 jars.

"Last winter a new feature was added to the work—a food club. Much interest was shown in the work and we were very proud to have one of our members, Miss Myrtle Jeffery, chosen as the food champion of Worcester County, thereby winning a week's stay at the Massachusetts Agricultural College summer camp.

"Again this winter the home economics classes are at work with an enrollment of 30 girls in the food club and 20 in the sewing work.

"In four years the work has increased from a membership of 6 girls in one project to 60 girls in three projects, while the appropriation of \$100 has remained the same. This allows only \$1.65 *per capita* per year, a very small amount if the work is to continue to grow."

GIFTS DURING THE YEAR

SPRUCE STREET SCHOOL

Large silk flag—by the Woman's Relief Corps—to grades 1, 2 and 4.

SOUTH GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Three silk American flags—by the Woman's Relief Corps—to rooms 2, 3 and 4.

PARK SCHOOL

Three silk American flags—by the Woman's Relief Corps.

Five Grey Gull records—by Mrs. A. A. McManus.

One Victor record—by Miss Mary Norma Murray.

HIGH SCHOOL

Marine picture by Alquist, value \$40.00, hung in the assembly hall—Class of 1900.

The sum of \$177.05 to be used in completing the honor roll in the first corridor—Class of 1925. In this connection it gives us great pleasure to acknowledge the second annual dinner given to the football team by the Milford Lodge of Elks.

Mr. P. Eugene Casey has tendered to the school committee the gift of a parcel of land near his Purchase Street development for the location of a school building. At a recent meeting of the board, a committee comprising the superintendent and two members of the board was appointed to confer with Mr. Casey regarding the location of the proposed donation.

Grace C. Walker.

Entered into rest August fourteenth, nineteen hundred and twenty-five.

A few bright years to contend
In earnest work with purpose sure;
A spirit courageous to the end;
In childhood's heart a place secure.

CHANGE IN TEACHERS

HIGH SCHOOL—LEFT THE SERVICE

Miss Helen S. Miller, teacher of Science, to accept a position in the Waltham, Mass., High School.

HIGH SCHOOL—ENTERED THE SERVICE

Miss Marie Cenedella, M. H. S., 1920; St. Elizabeth's College, 1925—English.

Miss Rita M. Connors, St. Mary's Academy, 1921; A.B., Emmanuel College, 1925—History, English and Commercial Geography.

Miss Lillian E. Sweet, M. H. S., 1918; A.B., Radcliffe College, 1922—Latin and French.

Miss Catharine A. Somers, of Worcester, Mass., A.B., Trinity College, 1924—Algebra and Science.

GRADES—LEFT THE SERVICE

Mrs. Eileen A. Eckland, grade 6, South School—Resigned April 3, 1925.

Miss Grace C. Walker, grade 2, Plains Primary School—Deceased, August 14, 1925.

Miss Catherine R. Conway, Geography, Stacy School—Resigned at the end of the summer term, 1925, to become assistant critic teacher at the Bridgewater Normal School. Miss Conway had been a teacher in the public schools since 1915, with constantly increasing effectiveness. Miss Conway brought to the school room a rare spirit of busyness and good cheer and won, energized and sent on their way hundreds of Milford young people, who will remember her as their true friend and whose lives are larger for her ministrations. It was inevitable that Miss Conway's work should attract the notice and win the recognition of educational authorities in the larger field.

Miss Gertrude E. Kirby, a teacher of Grade 3 in the Oliver Street School, a successful teacher in the Milford schools since 1916, resigned November 13, 1925, to become Mrs. James O'Grady.

Miss Eileen Loftus, teacher of Grade 5 in Stacy Portable, resigned at the close of the summer vacation, 1925, to accept a position in the schools of Marlboro.

ENTERED THE SERVICE

Miss Mary E. Mullane, of Worcester, Mass., late of the Worcester schools, a former teacher and principal in the Milford schools—assigned to the Stacy School.

Miss Rita Scully, St. Mary's Academy, 1922; Westfield Normal School, 1924—assigned to grade 6, South School.

Miss Regina Swift, M. H. S., 1923; Framingham Normal School, 1925—assigned to Bear Hill.

Miss Gertrude A. Wallace, M. H. S., 1923; Framingham Normal School, 1925—assigned to the Stacy School.

Miss Alice Birmingham, M. H. S., 1923; Framingham Normal School, 1925—assigned to grades 5, 6, Plains Primary School.

Miss Nina H. Mazzarelli, M. H. S., 1923; Framingham Normal School, 1925—assigned to Purchase Grammar School.

Miss Ruth M. Edwards, M. H. S., 1922; Miss Neil's Kindergarten Training School, 1925—assigned to special classes.

TRANSFERS

Miss Frances H. Kearnan—grade 3 to grade 4, Oliver Street School.

Miss Julia J. McCarthy—Purchase Grammar School to Fountain Street School.

Miss Evelyn M. Beckett—special classes to Plains Primary, grade 2.

Miss Claire Hogan—Plains Primary, grade 1, to Oliver Street, grade 3.

Miss Mae K. Miller—grades 5, 6, Plains Primary, to grade 1.

Miss Mary Parks—Bear Hill to Stacy Portable.

CHANGES IN TEXT BOOKS

The following text books have been adopted during the year:

American Government in 1925, McGruder, Allyn & Bacon, Boston; First Latin Lessons, Scott; Junior Latin

Reader, Sanford & Scott, Scott, Foresman & Co., New York; General Language, Leonard & Cox, McFadden English Series; The Thorndike Arithmetics, Rand, McNally & Co., Chicago; New Essentials of Business Arithmetic, Van Tuyl; Second Course in Algebra, Milne & Downey, American Book Co., Boston; Palgrove's Golden Treasury, Ginn & Co., Boston.

MILFORD TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION

CALENDAR 1925-1926

September	24	Business Meeting
	30	Social
October	5	Lecture-Recital "Poetry and Patriotism" Denis A. McCarthy, LL.D.
	13	Lecture, "Health Education" Miss Anna W. Johnson
	14	Health Brownie
November	16	Concert, Musical Arts Duo
	24	Plays "Neighbors," "The Kleptomaniac"
December	14	Lecture, "Europe of Today" D. Thomas Curtin
January	18	Professional Meeting Frank W. Wright
	28	Business Meeting
February	9	Stereopticon Lecture, "America" Frederick Vining Fisher
March		Professional Meeting
April	13	Entertainment, "The Bird Man" Charles Crawford Gorst
May		Social
	27	Business Meeting

OFFICERS

President, Rita M. Daigle; Vice President, Catherine M. McNamara; Secretary, Margaret E. Roche; Treasurer, Rose Bertorelli.

STATISTICS OF THE WORK OF THE SCHOOL NURSE.

No. children examined with physicians	2919
No. children weighed twice during the year	2712
No. children 10% or more underweight	483
No. children having whooping cough	29
No. children having German measles	287
No. children having scarlet fever	7
No. children having diphtheria	2
No. children having impetigo	30
No. children having tuberculosis	2
No. children taken to Mass. General Hospital	5
No. children taken to Children's Hospital	3
No. children taken to Milford Hospital for X-ray	1
No. children taken to Wrentham State School for examination	4
No. children admitted to Wrentham State School for treatment	2
No. children examined at Eye Clinic at Stacy School	26
No. children fitted to glasses at Clinic	26
No. children taken to oculist in Boston	6
No. home calls	1823
No. children examined at underweight clinic at Town Hall, April 22, 1925	91
No. contacts examined	34
No. children given tuberculin test	89
No. children who reacted to tuberculin test	32
No. children having X-ray of chest	30
No. children found with enlarged or diseased tonsils and adenoids	38
No. children found in need of dentistry	37
No. cases classified as suspicious	12
No. cases of Hilum tuberculosis	1
No. cases of pulmonary tuberculosis	2
No. of the foregoing group having tonsils and ade- noids removed	16
No. having dental work done	20

No. attending Southern Worcester County Health Camp at Sterling, Mass., for 2 weeks each	8
No. attending Sharon Health Camp at Sharon, Mass.	4
No. children admitted to Westfield State School	3
No. children returned from Westfield—cured	2
No. children remaining at Westfield School, Jan. 1, 1926	1

ATTENDANCE.

The Attendance Officer's report follows:

Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, 1925, calls from the Superinten- dent, including Continuation School, Evening School and working children	191
Calls from the Principal of the High School	69
Calls from the Principal of the Stacy School	155
Calls from teachers of grade schools	101
	—— 325

Causes:

Truancy	114
Sickness	87
Carelessness of parents	23
Taken from street and home	13
Lack of clothing	10
Left school to work	33
Left town	3
Excusable	32
Pupils over 16 years of age	4
	—— 325

There have been five court cases, of which two were under 16 years of age, and three were in the Evening School, under 21 years of age; four cases were put on probation, and one case defaulted.

Visits to schools	65
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REPAIRS.

PAINTING.

West Street School:—Ceiling tinted in Miss Gil-

EXHIBIT OF
 WORCESTER COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE

Worcester
 County
 Extension
 Service

Boys & Girls
 Club
 Exhibits

W.C.E.S.
 FIRST PRIZE
 SONGS
 1925

Boys & Girls
 Club

Boys & Girls
 Club
 Exhibits

**NATIONAL APPLE
 WEEK**
*The King of Fruits
 and plenty of them*
 OCT 31 - NOV 6

4 H CLUB EXHIBIT AT ANNUAL MILFORD TRADE SHOW.

more's room; building and outbuilding, one coat outside—E. F. Porter, \$156.00.

Oliver Street School:—North side walls of Miss Kenney's room redecorated; teacher's desk and pupils' desks and chairs revarnished in all school rooms; all woodwork in building, above basement, revarnished; ceilings in upper and lower halls retinted; boys' and girls' toilets repainted—E. F. Porter, \$293.35.

High School:—Outside trim painted; outside doors revarnished; ceiling in room 5 tinted; tops of pupils' desks and chairs revarnished—A. W. McKinley, \$487.85.

Park School:—Blackboards done over; basement whitened—A. W. McKinley, \$62.70.

Fountain Street, Purchase Grammar and Purchase Primary:—Blackboards done over—A. W. McKinley, \$7.65.

Stacy School:—Outside trim painted—T. E. Morse Co., \$108.00.

Stacy Portables:—Outside walls repainted; roof treated with preservative paint; blackboards done over—A. W. McKinley, \$129.00.

Spruce Street School:—Outside trim painted—A. W. McKinley, \$130.00.

Chapin Street School:—Building and outbuilding painted outside; fences painted—A. W. McKinley, \$162.50.

Hoboken School:—Building and outbuilding painted—E. F. Porter, \$52.00.

Bear Hill:—Outbuilding painted—T. E. Morse Co., \$15.08.

Plains Grammar and Annex:—Blackboards done over—A. W. McKinley, \$29.70.

Braggville:—Blackboards done over—A. W. McKinley, \$5.00.

South School:—Fence painted; blackboards done over—A. W. McKinley, \$47.50.

CARPENTER WORK.

West Street School:—Windows tightened; new

thresholds in boys' outbuilding; fence repaired—T. F. Maher, \$70.00.

Oliver Street School:—New treads in basement stairs; about 20 pupils' chairs repaired; new runs in windows as needed; new cords in windows—T. F. Maher, \$424.00.

High School:—Floors repaired in main corridors—Waters & Hynes.

Chapin Street School:—Outbuildings reshungled and otherwise repaired; conductor pipes rehung; new fence in rear of building—Waters & Hynes, \$160.00.

Plains Primary School:—Conductor pipes repaired—Waters & Hynes, \$32.00.

South School: — Fence repaired; outbuildings shingled and repaired—T. F. Maher, \$30.00.

PLUMBING AND HEATING.

There was the usual summer overhauling and repairs of stoves and furnaces.

SPECIAL REPAIRS.

High School boilers—J. F. Damon, \$437.40. Claflin roof—W. J. Maguire Co., \$365.70.

REPLACEMENTS.

Oliver Street steps—Peter Consigli, \$290.00. New furnaces at West Street—F. A. Gould, \$370.00. Inside stairs at West Street—Waters & Hynes, \$116.33.

NEW EQUIPMENT.

Craigulators, Stacy boilers—Efficiency Engineering Corp., \$280.00. New seats and desks at Stacy School—Kenney Bros. & Wolkins, \$451.50. New seats and desks at West Street—Kenney Bros. & Wolkins, \$481.60.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

MORE ROOM FOR THE HIGH SCHOOL.

In the High School, 330 pupils are on a shorter day in the morning and 160 pupils are on a shorter day in the afternoon. In the elementary schools, 227 pupils are on a shortened school day. This is the second year of short-

ened sessions in the High School and the third consecutive year in one elementary school.

Compared with normal conditions and practice in the Milford High School, the students now attending are at a tremendous disadvantage; in fact, they are being woefully defrauded and for the following reasons: The morning periods are shortened six minutes—30 minutes for the whole morning session—and the afternoon periods are shortened 9 minutes, or a total of 54 minutes for the entire session. These sessions were inadequate for work leading to college and normal school credits before the recent changes in such requirements and the present conditions are only tolerated by the State Board of Education, in a Class A High School, with the understanding that they were and are temporary and to be remedied as soon as possible.

With the school in session all day long, there is no opportunity for return assignments for either scholarship or discipline, thus putting a serious crimp in the scholastic efficiency and (potentially) in disciplinary effectiveness. Moreover, there is no opportunity for conferences of principal and teachers or for extra-curricular activities of the pupils. Facts like these are apt to be lost sight of by the general public because it is a debt or charge against the future, *but it is a debt none the less which these young people must pay all through their lives in decreased efficiency and earning power and the consequent* PROPORTIONATE LOSS IN COURAGE AND SELF-RESPECT.

In any list of recommendations for the public schools of Milford, therefore, the most important place must be given to the need for more school room, especially in the High and Grammar grades. As has been said again and again elsewhere in this report and in reports of previous years, not only must large sums be expended for new High School accommodations, but such accommodations must be competently designed in the spirit, and from the viewpoint, of the most enlightened modern practice. It is not enough to provide school seatings and conveniences

for a number of pupils, but all elements of the problem must be considered, and any decent, adequate solution must cover them all. A High School building is not a High School building, properly speaking, at all, unless it contains, in addition to the required number of school seatings and adequate conveniences: (1) an adequate assembly hall, properly equipped for social, rhetorical, musical and certain other extra-curricular activities; (2) a properly equipped and lighted gymnasium; (3) well planned, lighted, furnished and equipped laboratory facilities; (4) manual training rooms for both boys and girls, with adequate equipment; (5) room and equipment for school lunches; (6) study rooms; (7) a centrally located, adequately lighted and furnished library of sufficient size; (8) an up-to-date commercial section with sunny, attractive rooms for typewriting, bookkeeping, banking and business practice; (9) a drawing and art section of sufficient size and proper proportion, with correct lighting, and (10) (for Milford) decent administrative quarters for the School Department.

ATYPICAL CLASSES.

In previous reports, I have recommended atypical classes. Some progress has been made looking to the realization of this during the present year. It is expected that a clinic will be held in Milford the coming spring, as the result of which the actual number of cases will be determined and the necessary steps can be taken to start such classes in Milford. The writer cannot stress too strongly the importance of suitable quarters, and, what is still more vital, adequately trained special teachers for this work.

MANUAL COURSES FOR BOYS.

The schools of Milford will never approximate their maximum efficiency until the long standing injustice whereby the boys in the middle grades have no hand training whatever, is removed and some adequate hand work is provided for them.

AN ADDITIONAL MUSIC TEACHER.

Attention has been called in previous reports to the analogy in the departments of drawing and music. A second supervisor of drawing has been provided and a second supervisor of music should be forthcoming.

HEATING SYSTEMS.

Furnaces in the older part of the Plains Primary School may last until the end of the current school year, with temporary repairs, but they cannot serve longer. (These heaters are over 20 years old.) If feasible, I recommend that the small auxiliary boiler be removed and a second boiler of like size and capacity to that already in operation there, be laid down in the boiler room in the new part of the building. It is thought that the two large boilers thus secured would heat the Primary building and the annex nearby. The two furnaces in the annex, which are nearly new, could then be taken down and reset in two rooms where there are still stoves. I further recommend that a new heating plant be installed in the Spruce Street School. These furnaces are over 20 years old and have reached the end of their usefulness.

In conclusion, I take this opportunity, from my heart to thank you, gentlemen of the committee, not only for the patience and consideration that I, as well as my fellow-workers, have at all times received at your hands, but for the expression of sympathy from you to me and mine when I was forced out of the game and for many weeks occupied a stretcher on the sidelines. In this connection I wish in addition to thanking my associates for their continued co-operation, again most cordially to thank them for their manifold cheery words and kindly deeds during those slowly dragging days.

Respectfully submitted,

ALMORIN O. CASWELL,

Superintendent of Schools.

Milford, Mass., January 15, 1926.

Report of the School Physicians.

To the School Committee:

The following tables show the results of our inspection of the Milford schools for the year 1925.

Table I—Showing the Grade of the Defects:

	Prim.	Gram.	High	Total	Percent- age
Whole number of pupils inspected.....	1288	977	480	2745	
No. having no noticeable defects.....	249	298	221	768	28%
No. having only slight defects	326	275	140	741	27%
No. having serious defects	731	404	119	1236	45%

This is the most satisfactory showing made in any year since the beginning of school inspection in 1909. In that year the proportion of pupils having no noticeable defects was 9 per cent. From 1911 to 1922, inclusive, it was 12 per cent. In 1923 it rose to 14%; in 1924 to 22%; and this year it reaches 28%, a most gratifying improvement. Let it be noted that the most notable improvement is coincident with the development of the work of the school nurse and the Dental Clinic.

Table II—Showing the Nature of the Defects:

	Prim.	Gram.	High	Total	Percent- age
Whole number of pupils inspected.....	1288	977	480	2745	
No. having mouth and teeth defects.....	811	526	124	1461	53%
No. having nose and throat defects.....	288	350	101	739	27%
No. having miscellaneous defects	30	37	58	125	5%

Here again we find evidence of improvement in the

smaller than usual proportion of defects of the various kinds; and this is especially evident in the eighth grade, though this is not shown in the tables as given.

Table III—Showing the Comparative Weights of
the Pupils:

Whole number of pupils weighed.....	2612
Number of pupils 10% below the average.....	483
Number of these having special examination at underweight clinic	195
Number of the 195 having X-rays of the chest....	40

School inspection reveals facts which are somewhat surprising, and it may interest the committee to know some of them as well as their bearing on the health, the efficiency, and the achievements of the pupils; also the relation which they bear to the teachers' labors and their results.

So far as we have completed the weighing of the children, we have found 483 out of 2,112 who were at least 10% under the average weight of their age and height. That is, nearly 23% of the school children are so far under average weight as to excite grave fear that they may be suffering from a serious health defect, possibly tuberculosis in an incipient stage, perhaps diseased tonsils or teeth, insufficient food, improper diet, or bad hygiene in the home or in the school.

Whatever the cause, the effect is appalling—nearly one-fourth of the pupils below the High School in such poor physical condition that their weight is 10% or more below normal. Without doubt, this condition is causing failure in studies and failure of promotion. It is a matter of some cost to the Town when a child is compelled to spend two years in one grade; but it is a much greater expense to the parents, and an inestimable expense to the child.

We have found so many instances of close parallelism between poor physical condition and poor mental attainments that we feel very sure that in most cases, correction of one would be followed by great improvement in the

other. If parents could be induced to consult their physician at regular intervals, rather than wait until actual sickness compels, they would learn the value of prevention and the proper way of ensuring the health of their children.

The good results of school inspection are much more apparent today than they were ten years ago. Parents are more interested in the notices which the children bring home after examination by the school physician. It would seem almost unbelievable that there should still be some whose apprehension is not aroused nor their curiosity excited even after they have been notified three or four successive years that their child is suffering from adenoids and diseased or abnormally enlarged tonsils, and this, perhaps, in the face of the fact that he or she has had to repeat one, two or even three years of school work. Such cases do occur; our school nurse is continually following them up, tirelessly preaching to them the gospel of health; but there are still too many who fail to respond to her preaching.

This year we have enrolled in our first grades throughout the Town 280 pupils. Of these, 44 are repeaters (spending their second or third year in the first grade)—over 15%. It would seem that the cause of failure might be easily determined in the low classes. The excuse of too many out-of-school attractions would have less weight in the cases of these six-year-old children. Is it lack of mental ability? Probably not; if it were we ought to find the same proportion of failures throughout the upper grades. Is it poor teaching? No; our best and most conscientious teachers have many failures. The cause seems to lie within the child, and it is probably physical rather than mental. Many of them enter the first grade too young. They are not sufficiently developed to grasp what is being offered them, and they waste a year without much intellectual gain and with a distinct physical loss. The year would have done them much more real good if it had been spent in the open air and sunlight.

There can be little doubt but that a large number of the failures in the first grade are due to physical defects which might be readily corrected but are not corrected until the child has shown by its slow mental and physical growth, its frequent failures and repeated illnesses that something is radically wrong. By this time, he or she has left the first grade and may have reached the second, third or fourth, after surmounting difficulties which never should have been allowed to obstruct his progress.

These facts as well as the observations of several years in the work of the school inspection lead us to believe that there would be some advantage in raising the age of school entrance to six years.

JOHN M. FRENCH, M.D.,
JOHN V. GALLAGHER, M.D.,
School Physicians.

EYE and EAR TESTS.

School.	Number Enrolled.	Defective in Eyesight.	Defective in Hearing.	Parents and Guardians Notified.
High	492	46	3	31
Stacy	574	61	1	45
Spruce Street	179	17	1	13
Park	150	12	4	16
South	151	9	4	11
Plains Grammar and Annex	246	30	1	29
Plains Primary	342	21	6	19
Purchase Grammar	39	0	0	0
Purchase Primary	37	2	2	4
Clafin	229	11	3	14
Chapin Street	102	4	0	3
Oliver Street	189	8	2	10
West Street	75	5	0	3
Hoboken	28	0	0	0
Fountain Street	54	3	0	3
Bear Hill	13	0	0	0
Braggville	14	0	0	0
Total	2914	229	27	201



June 24 1925)

Allan A. Eastman.

TOWN HALL,

Wednesday Evening, June 24, 1925.

PROGRAM.

- March
Orchestra.
William M. Marcus, Leader.
- Entrance of Senior Class escorted by Junior Class .
- Selection
Orchestra.
- Over the Foaming Wave (Introducing "Home, Sweet
Home") Wilson
M. H. S. Glee Club.
- Our Yesterdays Leslie
Where, O Where College Song
William Francis Broderick, Allan Arthur Eastman
Charles William Gilmore.
- Address—The Importance of Education
Professor Zelotes W. Coombs,
Worcester Polytechnic Institute.
- Keep on Hopin' Maxwell
Goodbye Tosti
M. H. S. Glee Club.
- Piano Solo—Prelude (E Sharp Minor) . Rachmaninoff
Beatrice Anna Egan.
- Presentation of Diplomas
Hon. John C. Lynch,
Member of School Committee.

Class Ode . . . . .	.
Award of Prizes . . . . .	.
American Legion School Awards . . . . .	.
Past Commander William G. Pond,	
Sergt. Powers Post 59, A. L.	
Selection . . . . .	.
Orchestra.	

CLASS OF 1925.

Raymond Rockwood Adams	Sarah Ellen Foid
Robert Harold Ambler	Henry Joseph Frascotti
Elizabeth Jessie Angus	George Richard Gagliardi
Lillian Gertrude Bagley	Charles William Gilmore
Theresa Amelia Balconi	Elmer Prescott Griswold
Dorothy Mae Batchelor	Mary Frances Ianzito
Lillian Anna Bellofatto	Ruth Georgia Ingalls
Amelia Florence Bodio	Dorothy Harriet King
Florence Louise Bourcier	Marion Ellis King
William Francis Broderick	Sylvia Dorothy Kurlan
Vivienne Mae Bruce	Ida Ruth Kurlansky
Edward Vincent Burns	Patrick Wallace Larkin
Josephine Marguerite Calarese	Mary Dorcas Magurn
Harvey Morgan Clough	William Melvin Marcus
Nicholas George Colantonio	Mary Avis Moran
Francis William Collins	Helen Elizabeth Morgan
Laura Rita Consoletti	Geraldine Rita Murphy
Mary Lucy Consoletti	Anna Lucille Neistein
Frank Bernard Copeland	Zarookie Miriam Noorjani
Thomas Francis Davoren	Clarence Frederic O'Connell
Esther Marie DeSantis	John Francis O'Neill
Allan Arthur Eastman	Dorothy Edith Peterson
Beatrice Anna Egan	Lillian Mollie Rice
Helen Mary Feeley	Harry Rosenfeld
Mary Jeanette Fisher	Joseph Rosenfeld
Grace Beryl Flemming	Saul Rosenthal
Anna Doris Fletcher	Albin Bertel Seastrom

David Selya
 Herman Charles Selya
 Albert Joseph Shaw
 Agnes Anne Siipola
 Leonard Earl Sprague
 Walter William Steeves
 Moody Francis Trevett

James Woodbridge Tyndall
 Mary Dennison Tyndall
 Arthur Ernest Vesperi
 Cecil Herbert Wadleigh
 Francis Elizabeth Wells
 Laura Mae Wheeler
 Harry Clinton York, Jr.

CERTIFICATES.

Walter Vernal Fitzgerald

Carl Albert Samuelson

CLASS OFFICERS.

President, Clarence Frederic O'Connell,

Vice-President, Helen Mary Feeley,

Secretary, Beatrice Anna Egan,

Treasurer, Harvey Morgan Clough.

Class Colors: Heliotrope, Purple and Violet.

Class Flower: Butterfly Rose. Class Motto: "Deeds not Words."

CLASS ODE.

(*Air: "Araby's Daughter."*)

The path of the future now spreads out before us
 A path that is difficult, rugged, but true.
 'T is ours to ascend it; our feet must not fail us
 'Til over its brow shines a clear sky of blue.

Four years we have spent in industrious labor.
 Together we've striven the right to maintain;
 And now with sad hearts but in purpose no waver,
 We're ready to sail across life's stormy main.

We leave you! We leave you! May God always keep you
 Endeared in our hearts and our souls 'til the end.
 And where e'er we wander we always will love you.
 May no earthly power your love from us rend!

CHORUS:

Our ways they will separate, Fate will divide us,
 But ever your memory haunts us anew.
 O Fair Alma Mater, with courage provide us
 To answer our summons with honor to you.

—Clarence Frederic O'Connell.

LIST OF TEACHERS, JANUARY 1, 1926.

School.	Teacher's Name.	An. Sal.	Residence.	Tel.	Ap.	Subject	Grade.
High— Principal High— Sub—Master High—Teachers	Thomas J. Quirk	\$3200	23 So. High St.	576-R	1917	Physics	XI.
	F. C. Berry	2600	86 High St.	178-MK	1914	Geometry	X.
	Miss Mary B. Ford	1700	21 West Pine St.	921-R	1905	Algebra	IX.
						Chemistry	XII.
						Algebra	XII.
						Solid Geometry	XII.
	Miss Marion A. Ryan Miss Hannah E. Callanan	1700	298 Main St. 8 Oliver Court	642-M 510	1911 1913	Trigonometry	XI.
						Geometry	XII., XI.
						English	X., XI.
						History	X.
	Miss Margaret A. Pianca	1700	44 Mendon St., Hopedale	896	1913	French	XI., XII.
	Miss Mae E. Birmingham	1700	87 Congress St.	714-M	1913	French	X., XI., XII.
	Miss Agnes R. Lynch Miss Lillian L. Egan	1700 1400	41 Hayward St. 15 South Main St.	342-J 417-J	1918 1924	Typewriting	XI., XII.
						Stenography	XI., XII.
	Miss May A. Comba	1700	28 Pearl St.	177	1920	Typewriting, Bookk'p'g	X., XI.
						Commercial Arithmetic	IX.
						Penmanship	IX.
						Bookkeeping	X., XI.
						History	X., XI.

LIST OF TEACHERS, JANUARY 1, 1926—CONTINUED.

School.	Teacher's Name.	An. Sal.	Residence.	Tel.	Ap.	Subject.	Grade.
High--Teachers	Miss Margaret G. Quirk	\$1700	136 West Spruce St.		1922	Physics	XI.
	Miss Loretta E. Murray	1700	127 South Main St.	761-X	1922	Geometry	X.
	Miss Sadie A. O'Connell	1700	42 Prospect St.	341-M	1922	Latin	X., XI., XII.
					1922	English	X.
						Expression	XI., XII.
	Miss Mary G. Condon	1500	8 Green St.	274-J	1923	Civics	IX.
	Miss Elizabeth A. Doyle	1500	36 Church St.	143	1923	English	X., XI.
	Miss Marie Cenedella	1200	68 School St.	977-W	1925	English	IX.
	Miss Elizabeth B. Rourke	1500	36 Church St.	143	1923	Algebra	IX.
	Miss Rita M. Connors	1200	31 Pearl St.	1131-M	1925	History	X., XI.
						English	X.
						Commercial Geography	XI.
					1924	Latin	IX.
Stacy School	Miss Catherine M. Dillon	1400	14 Chestnut St.	46	1925	Latin	IX., X.
	Miss Lillian E. Sweet	1300	59 School St.	559-M		French	X.
	Miss Catherine A. Somers	1200	36 Church St.	143	1925	Algebra	IX.
						Science	IX.
	*W. A. Beaudry	2400	4 State St.	559-W	1920	Mathematics	VIII.
	Miss Mary E. Kelley	1400	18 Cherry St.	78-R	1912	English	VII., VIII.
	Mrs. Helen W. Bird	1300	57 Congress St.	788-M	1915	Geography	VII.
	Mrs. Ada M. Lovering	1350	13 Mechanic St.	140	1916	History	VIII.

Miss Helen M. Quirk	1300	27 Parker Hill Ave.	83-R	1917	Mathematics	VII., VIII.
Miss Mary E. Mullane	1400	1 Draper Park	745-W	1925	Geography	VII.
Miss Rose Bertorelli	1300	15 East Walnut St.		1918	Geography	VIII.
Miss Cath. M. McNamara	1300	91 West St.	676-W	1919	Language	VII., VIII.
Miss Rose M. Gagliardi	1200	Mechanic St.	541-J	1922	History	VII.
Miss Madeline H. Burke	1150	140 West St.	37-M	1923	History	VII.
Miss Rita M. Daigle	1100	130 West St.	809-J	1924	Language	VII., VIII.
Miss Esther J. Fahy	1100	34 Franklin St.	897-M	1924	Mathematics & History	VII.
Miss Miriam G. Kirby	1100	12 Leonard St.	526-W	1924	History	VIII.
Miss Gertrude A. Wallace	1000	100 Spruce St.	1214-W	1925		V.
Miss Anne Mulligan	1100	46 Grant St.	487-M	1924		V.
Miss Mary A. Parks	1100	78 High St.		1924		IV., V.
*Miss Ellen M. Waters	1475	73 School St.	976-W	1887		III.
Miss Mary H. McDermott	1400	26 1-2 Pearl St.	883-W	1893		IV.
Miss Irene K. Gallagher	1400	104 Spruce St.	275	1907		II.
Miss Eva M. Kennedy	1300	26 Cedar St., Hopkin'n	89-5	1919		I.
Miss Maude D. Frost	1250	30 Purchase St.	422-J	1920		I.
*Miss Agnes S. McDermott	1465	96 Spruce St.		1897		VI.
Mrs. Catherine R. Cronin	1400	10 Parker Hill Ave.	795-R	1911		V.
Mrs. Agnes A. McManus	1400	35 Jefferson St.		1911		VI.
Miss Marie Metrano	1250	10 Parker Hill Ave.	795-R	1921		VI.
*Miss Kath. G. McDermott	1455	96 Spruce St.		1893		VI.
Miss Mary E. Finnigan	1300	54 Fruit St.	376-J	1915		V.
Miss Rita Scully	1000	16 Gibbon Ave.	416-R	1925		VI.
Miss Viola F. Leland	1400	12 Gibben Ave.	783-J	1922		V.

Stacy Portable
Spruce St.

Park

South

LIST OF TEACHERS, JANUARY 1, 1926.—CONTINUED.

School.	Teacher's Name.	An. Sal.	Residence.	Tel.	Ap.	Subject.	Grade.
Plains Grammar	*Miss Mary F. Ranahan	\$1485	64 South Bow St.		1906		VI.
	Miss Mary F. Lynch	1400	41 Hayward St.	342-J	1911		V.
	Miss Irene C. Hogan	1400	6 Oliver St.	973-W	1912		V.
	Miss Anna A. Calabrese	1250	15 Free St.	738-W	1920		VI.
	Miss Martha C. Toher	1400	Hopkinton	8-4	1903		IV.
	Miss Margaret M. Cochran	1300	14 West Pine St.	446-W	1919		IV.
	*Miss Jennie F. McGann	1525	145 Congress St.	287-W	1888		I.
	Miss Rose E. Keany	1400	Hopkinton		1902		I.
	Miss Susan E. Ranahan	1400	64 South Bow St.		1905		II.
	Miss Evelyn C. Curran	1400	59 High St.	579-W	1908		III.
Plains Annex	Miss Irene M. Meighan	1400	41 Jefferson St.	719-R	1913		II.
	Miss Grace M. Carron	1250	63 South Bow St.		1920		III.
	Miss Margaret Roche	1300	7 Orchard St.	1078-J	1917		III.
	Miss Evelyn Becket	1100	23 Pleasant St.	1219-W	1924		II.
	Miss Mae K. Miller	1100	20 East St.		1924		I.
	*Miss Catherine F. Tully	1485	6 West Pine St.	1238-J	1889		III.
	Miss Helena M. Shea	1300	42 Clafin St.	511-M	1918		IV.
	Miss Dorothy V. Cahill	1200	19 West Pine St.	542-W	1922		II.
	Miss Mildred Littlefield	1300	39 Purchase St.	987-J	1922		I.
	Miss Marion B. Greeley	1150	81 West St.	995-W	1923		III.
Clafin	Miss Marie I. Casey	1150	75 High St.	108-W	1924		II.

Oliver St.	* Miss Nellie M. Conely	1475 25 Taylor St.	513-J	1888	IV.
	Miss Frances H. Kearnan	1100 44 Adin St., Hopedale	569-W	1924	IV.
	Miss Claire F. Hogan	1300 6 Oliver St.	973-W	1918	I.
	Miss Mabel A. Kenney	1300 58 West St.	1018-W	1917	II.
	Miss Anna H. Swift	1300 43 High St.	108-YK	1918	I.
Chapin St.	* Miss Alice M. Ames	1455 14 Fruit St.	297-W	1888	III.
	Miss Florence N. Aldrich	1400 48 Clafin St.	522-M	1907	I.
	Miss Ida V. Martin	1400 19 Fruit St.	1037-X	1910	II.
West St.	* Miss Mary T. Gilmore	1445 141 West St.	37-R	1901	I., II.
	Miss Grace B. Higgiston	1400 32 Purchase St.	989-M	1908	III., IV.
Hoboken	Miss Beatrice L. Battles	1300 22 Grant St.		1919	I.
Fountain St.	Miss Gertrude C. Downey	1100 3 Gibbon Ave.	498-W	1924	III., IV.
	Miss Julia J. McCarthy	1300 Westboro, Mass.		1915	I., II.
Purchase Gram.	Miss Nina H. Mazzarelli	1000 71 East Main St.	1203-J	1925	V., VI., VII.
Purchase Prim.	Miss Margaret Davoren	1400 63 Pearl St.	1011	1896	I.-IV.
Bear Hill	Miss Regina M. Swift	1000 43 High St.	462-J	1925	I.-VI.
Braggville	Miss Mary C. Edwards	1300 26 Pearl St.	225-R	1917	I.-IV.
Special	Miss Ruth M. Edwards	1000 40 Bancroft Ave.	1041-M	1925	
Supervisor of	Miss Helena F. Swift	1750 83 High St.	359-W	1915	
Music					
Supervisor of	Miss Dorcas Whipple	1500 20 Church St	85-M	1922	
Drawing	Miss Vetrana Mazzarelli	1000 17 Genoa Ave.	1175	1924	
Assistant	Albert D. Riopel	2500 554 Maywood St., Mass.	Park	1924	
Phys'l Director			1788MK		
Continuation			48-Y	1921	
School—Boys	Albert W. Chilson	1250 35 Chestnut St.	755-R	1922	
Girls	Mrs. Myrtle R. Dunn	1400 The Strand			

* Principal.

LIST OF JANITORS, JANUARY 1, 1926.

SCHOOL.	NAME.	RESIDENCE.	TEL.	APP.	SALARY.
High	M. M. Moran	16 Gibbon Ave.	466-W	1902	\$1564.00
George E. Stacy Spruce	Frank L. Cahill	21 West Pine St.	542-W	1917	1924.00
South Oliver Street Chapin Street	George Anderson	23 Emmons St.	222-R	1919	1456.00
Clafin Hoboken Park	Walter Burns	134 East Main St.	501-M	1917	1211.70
Plains Grammar Plains Annex Plains Primary	James H. Reynolds	97 East Main St.		1918	1664.00
West Street	Mrs. George F. Huskins	108 West St.	704-W	1916	252.00
Fountain Street	Mrs. Peter Consigli	Purchase St.	307-R	1920	84.00
Purchase Grammar	C. W. Gordon	Tyler St.	239-M	1917	240.00
Purchase Primary	Ernest Griffith	435 Purchase St.		1922	84.00
Bear Hill	John Petroski	Bear Hill		1925	126.00
Braggville	Thomas Rizzi	Braggville		1923	84.00



TOWN RECORDS.

1925.



TOWN RECORDS.

WARRANT FOR THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, MARCH 2, 1925.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

Worcester, ss.

To either Constable in the Town of Milford, in said County, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qualified by law to vote in elections and in town affairs, to meet at the Town Hall, in said Town, on Monday, the second day of March, A. D. 1925, punctually at 5:45 o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following articles, namely:

(The polls may be closed at four o'clock in the afternoon on said day of meeting.)

Article 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Article 2. To choose all necessary town officers, a town clerk, town treasurer, tax collector, auditor, three selectmen, highway surveyor (for one year), one assessor (three years), two members of the school committee (three years), one overseer of the poor (three years), one member of the board of health (three years), one sewer commissioner (three years), two trustees of town library (three years), one trustee of town library (one year, to fill vacancy), two trustees of Vernon Grove Cemetery (three years), one park commissioner (three years), one member of the planning board (three years), one tree warden (one year), and five constables (one year); to be voted for on ballots prepared and furnished in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 54, of the General Laws of Massachusetts, and acts in amendment thereof, and addition thereto.

Article 3. To hear and act upon the reports of the selectmen, town clerk, town treasurer, tax collector, audi-

tor, assessors, overseers of the poor, sewer commissioners, school committee, trustees of town library, trustees of Vernon Grove Cemetery, park commissioners, highway surveyor, chief of police, engineers of the fire department, town solicitor, inspector of wires, inspector of plumbing, inspector of animals, sealer of weights and measures, and any other officers or committees of said town.

Article 4. To raise and appropriate such sum or sums of money as may be necessary to defray town expenses for the financial year ending December 31, 1925.

Article 5. To determine when all taxes for the year 1925, shall become due and payable, the time from which interest on unpaid taxes of said year shall be charged and the compensation of the collector of taxes for the year ensuing.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Hundred Dollars (\$400.00) towards defraying the expenses of Memorial Day.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the selectmen to take charge of all legal proceedings for or against the town.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, to borrow money on and after January 1, 1926, in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1926.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) to be paid to the Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture in accordance with the provisions of, and for the purposes of Chapter 128, General Laws of Massachusetts, or for the support of demonstration work in agriculture, home economics, or Boys' and Girls' Club Work; under the direction of the agent or instructors, or the trustees, co-operating with the local town director, or pass any vote or votes in relation thereto.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to choose a director in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 128,

General Laws of Massachusetts; or pass any vote or votes in relation thereto.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the treasurer to transfer the unexpended balances of the following accounts into the surplus revenue account, or take any action in relation thereto.

Board of Health: Unpaid bills of 1921..	\$141 89
Dilla Street sidewalk.....	37 00
Grant Street repairs.....	24 40
Highways: Repairs to Town barn.....	3 26
Incidentals: Unpaid bills of 1923.....	10 00
Land Damages: Medway Street, unpaid bills 1923.....	10
Memorial Hall insurance.....	135 04
Memorial Hall repairs.....	05
Pcor: Unpaid bills of 1923.....	18 16
Poor: Mother's Aid, unpaid bills of 1923	69 90
Sidewalk: East Main Street.....	3 00
Street Lights: West Fountain Street..	63 00
Watering trough, removal of.....	96 30
New fire alarm box, near Hopedale Mfg. . Co. plant	6 54
Whitney Street repairs.....	2 45

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the treasurer to transfer the unexpended balance, viz., \$2.90 of the 1923 Cedar Street construction account, to the 1924 Cedar Street construction account, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Section 48 of Chapter 31 of the General Laws of Massachusetts, vote to restrict the application of the provisions of said Chapter and the amendments thereto to the police force, pass any vote or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Section 49 of Chapter 31 of the General Laws of Massachusetts which extends the provisions of

the Civil Service to the chief of police, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to increase the pay of the call members of the Milford Fire Department from One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) per man per year to Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) per man per year, and the pay of the engineers of the said department from One Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$150.00) per man per year, to Three Hundred Dollars (\$300.00) per man per year, said increases to be effective May 1, 1925, and raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty-nine Hundred and Seventy-five Dollars (\$2,975.00) additional to the amount recommended by the Finance Committee for pay of members of the Fire Department, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to increase the salary of the treasurer from One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) per year to Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500.00) per year, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding Seventy-six Hundred Dollars (\$7,600.00) for the purpose of the maintenance and operation of sewers in the Town of Milford, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate an additional sum not exceeding Thirty-five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500.00) for the purpose of further constructing its system of sewerage with particular reference to the completion of the sewage disposal works, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Eight Hundred and Nine Dollars and Thirty-seven Cents (\$809.37) to pay unpaid bills of the Sewer Commission in the year 1924, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00)

for the purpose of making repairs to the lower end of Whitney Street, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for the purpose of repairing Short Street and rebuilding sidewalk on the easterly side of said street, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twelve Hundred Dollars (\$1,200.00) for the purpose of repairing Cherry Street and building sidewalks on said street, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) for the purpose of repairing Beach Street Extension, and the sidewalks on said street, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty-five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500.00) for the purpose of building a tar sidewalk on the easterly side of Cedar Street, from the corner of East Main Street, to Saint Mary's new cemetery, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) for the purpose of repairing Madden Avenue, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to place a fire alarm box at or near the corner of Franklin and Claflin Streets, appropriate necessary money therefor, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) for the further extension of the sewer on North Street, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to locate a fire alarm box at the corner of Central and East Streets, appropriate necessary money therefor, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) for the purpose of locating a hydrant on the upper end of Emmons Street, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) for the purpose of constructing a sewer on Glines Avenue, and vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) to pay land damages in connection with the construction of said sewer, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 31. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred and Twenty-six Dollars (\$126.00) for the location of seven additional street lights on Beaver Street, from the corner of Central and Beaver Streets to a point opposite the residence of Michael O'Brien, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifty-four Dollars (\$54.00) for the purpose of locating three street lights on Ferguson Street, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 33. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a committee to take such action as may be necessary to abolish the Sewer Commission and consolidate the Sewer and Highway Departments under one authority, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$250.00) for the purpose of reimbursing the Town of Hopkinton for money expended in 1924, towards the cost of operation of Hopkinton Division of the M. & U. Street Railway, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a committee to investigate the matter of installing sprinklers in public buildings, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 36. To see if the Town will authorize the selectmen to provide parking space for automobiles on

the town property either or both sides of Town Hall building, raise and appropriate money therefor, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 37. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the School Committee to petition the Legislature for authority to raise, outside the statutory debt limit, a sum of money not to exceed Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000.00) for the purpose of making alterations and additions to the Milford High School, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 38. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Hundred Dollars (\$400.00) for the purpose of extending its system of sewerage on Dominick Street, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 39. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500.00) for the purpose of constructing a sewer on Plain Street, beginning at the corner of East Main and Plain Streets, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 40. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the selectmen to appoint a committee to report at the next Town meeting, on whether the Town should establish a town forest, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 41. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Six Hundred Seventy-five Dollars (\$675.00), for the purpose of constructing a sewer on Quinlan Street, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 42. To see if the Town will vote to locate eight electric lights on West Fountain and Highland Streets, from the property of Percy Abell on West Fountain Street, to property of William Bandy at the corner of said streets, thence on Highland Street to property of Daniel Glennon, raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred and Twenty-eight Dollars for said purpose, or take any action in relation thereto.

And you are hereby directed to serve This Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at each of the Public Meeting Houses and at the Post Office in said Town: also

cause attested copies to be published in The Milford Daily News and Milford Gazette, newspapers published in said Town, Two Sabbaths at least before the time set for said meeting.

Hereof Fail Not, and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Clerk of said Town, at the time of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands at Milford, this 17th Day of February, A. D. 1925.

JOHN E. HIGGISTON,
DEAN R. SPINDEL,
Selectmen of Milford.

A true copy.

Attest:

JOHN J. MOLONEY,
Constable of Milford.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

Worcester, ss.

Milford, March 2, 1925.

Pursuant to the within warrant I have notified the inhabitants of the Town of Milford herein described, to meet at the time and place and for the purposes within mentioned, by posting up attested copies of this warrant at each of the Public Meeting Houses and at the Post Office in said Town; and I have likewise caused attested copies of this warrant to be published in the Milford Daily News and Milford Gazette, newspapers printed in said Town, two Sabbaths before the time set for said meeting.

Attest:

JOHN J. MOLONEY,
Constable of Milford.

A true copy of the warrant and the officer's return thereon.

Attest:

DENNIS, J. SULLIVAN,
Town Clerk.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MARCH 2, 1925.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

Worcester, ss.

Milford, March 2, 1925.

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the town of Milford, qualified by law to vote in elections and in town affairs, holden this second day of March, 1925, at 5:45 o'clock in the forenoon, the said inhabitants proceeded as follows:

The meeting was called to order by the town clerk, who read the warrant and the officer's return thereon.

Under Article 1. The meeting made choice of John T. McLoughlin as moderator, the voting lists being used.

One ballot was cast, which was for John T. McLoughlin.

The moderator was sworn to a faithful performance of his duties by the town clerk.

The ballot box used in elections was examined and shown to be empty.

The register on the box was set at 0000, the box locked and the keys delivered to John J. Moloney, constable in attendance at said meeting.

Packages said to contain 6050 official ballots, specimen ballots and cards of instructions and penalty cards were delivered by the town clerk to the moderator.

The ballots were then placed in the possession of the ballot clerks.

All legal requirements having been complied with, the polls were declared open at 5:55 A. M.

Harold K. Bullard and James J. Connors, tellers appointed by the selectmen to check the voting lists at the polls, Charles W. Gould and George V. Larkin, ballot clerks, and William E. Gallagher and Benjamin J. Clancy, deputy ballot clerks, were sworn to a faithful performance of their duties by the town clerk.

Voted: To close the polls at 8 o'clock P. M.

Voted: That after the completion of action under

Article 2 the meeting be adjourned until Friday, March 6, 1925, at 8 o'clock P. M., in Town Hall.

During the voting the ballot box was opened, by the unanimous consent of the moderator and town clerk, five times for the purpose of taking out, sorting and counting the ballots; first at 11:27 o'clock A. M., when the box registered 863; then at 2:50 o'clock P. M., when it registered 1626; then at 4:15 o'clock P. M., when it registered 2211; then at 5:40 o'clock P. M., when it registered 2836; then at the close of the polls, 8 o'clock P. M., when it registered 4079.

The ballot box count and the count of the tellers checking the voting lists and the ballot clerks did not agree, the ballot box not registering the ballots properly.

The names of those on the lists of voters which were checked and audibly counted were found to be 4071.

The following tellers appointed by the selectmen were sworn to a faithful performance of their duties by the town clerk, and began their duties at 2 o'clock P. M.

Ellsworth J. Nutter, Frank A. Bixby, Walter A. Vant, M. Henry DeCoste, George E. Stanley, Garden W. Rae, George A. Richardson, Henry Aspesi, Frank R. Fahey, John F. Hennessey, George S. Whitney, Owen Ferguson, Ernest L. Schultz, William E. Moore, Louis Jacobs, Thomas A. Nugent, Burton N. Hoffman, Dennis P. Flynn, William J. Darney, Fred J. Luby, Angelo Morcone, Joseph D. Cahill, William J. Bird, Otto W. Beiersdorf, J. Warren Richardson, Jeremiah F. Roche, Jr., Ernest Iannitelli, Patrick H. Gillon, Myron Morey, Edward D. Herlihy, Ovide DelCastella, Arthur E. Sheedy.

The following additional tellers appointed by the selectmen and approved by the moderator were sworn to a faithful performance of their duties by the town clerk, and began their duties at 8 o'clock P. M.:

Leo M. Murray, Eugene F. Marino, Henry Sanclemente, Frederick McDonough, Patrick H. Burke, Frank J. Hynes, Wallace B. Mader, Clifton Cross, Allan G. Kennedy, Joseph J. Fahey, Francis J. Carron, Albert J. Lar-

kin, John F. Burke, Jr., Michael J. Collins, Charles V. Touhey, James P. Bird.

The ballots having been sorted and counted and the whole number of ballots cast found to be 4071, said ballots were sealed in envelopes, placed in two boxes which were nailed and sealed and the endorsement of the election officers placed thereon.

The voting lists used at the polls and at the table of the ballot clerks were sealed and endorsed by the checkers and ballot clerks.
elected.

The moderator then declared the following officers
The vote was announced at 3:20 o'clock A. M. March 3, 1925.

Town Clerk—Dennis J. Sullivan, 1 State Street.

Town Treasurer—George A. Barry, 10 Carroll Street.

Tax Collector—Matthew J. Carbary, 41 Jefferson Street.

Auditor—Joseph V. Carey, 11 Thayer Street.

Selectman—Philip Cenedella, 68 School Street.

Selectman—Fred W. Fitzsimmons, 46 Jefferson Street.

Selectmen—John E. Higgiston, 274 Main Street.

Highway Surveyor—Edward C. Beaulac, 15 Dilla Street.

Assessor—Frederick A. Nealon, 10 Fountain Street.

Overseer of Poor—Michael B. Sweeney, 43 West Walnut Street.

Board of Health—Maurice J. Quinlan, 36 Central Street.

Sewer Commissioner—Frank P. Dillon, 14 Chestnut Street.

School Committee—Alfred B. Cenedella, 54 Bancroft Avenue; George E. Stacy, 76 School Street.

Trustees Public Library—Stephen H. Reynolds, 18 Purchase Street; George W. Wood, 16 Church Street.

Trustee Public Library to fill vacancy—Thomas J. Nugent, 12 West Street.

Trustees Vernon Grove Cemetery—William Emery, 9 Pine Street; William S. Marden, 46 Bancroft Avenue.

Park Commissioner—Martin J. Wallace, 100 Spruce Street.

Planning Board—Frank E. Norcross, 98 Congress Street.

Tree Warden—Patrick F. Fitzgerald, 23 Leonard Street.

Constables—James J. Birmingham, 87 Congress Street; Charles Caruso, 15 Main Street; James J. Fullum, 55 Grove Street; John J. Moloney, 10 Orchard Street; John C. Wilson, 73 Grove Street.

The following is the result of the ballot showing the number of votes cast for each candidate:

TOWN CLERK (One year).

Dennis J. Sullivan, Citizens.....	3421
Blanks	650

TOWN TREASURER (One year).

George A. Barry, Citizens.....	3283
Blanks	788

TAX COLLECTOR (One year).

Matthew J. Carbary, Citizens.....	3325
Blanks	746

AUDITOR (One year).

Joseph V. Carey, Citizens.....	2986
Blanks	1085

SELECTMEN (One year).

John J. Best, Nomination Paper.....	970
Philip Cenedella, Independent.....	1852
John F. Damon, Independent.....	1515
Fred W. Fitzsimmons, Citizens.....	1829
John E. Higgiston, Citizens.....	1917
Thomas F. Malloy, Independent.....	1826
Dean R. Spindel, Citizens.....	1772
Blanks	532

HIGHWAY SURVEYOR (One year).

Edward C. Beaulac, Nomination Paper.....	2508
John P. Callery, Citizens.....	1435

Blanks	158
ASSESSORS (Three years).	
Owen F. Croughwell, Nomination Paper.....	1008
Frederick A. Nealon, Citizens.....	2507
Joseph Santosuosso, Nomination Paper.....	428
Blanks	128
OVERSEER OF POOR (Three years).	
Michael B. Sweeney, Citizens.....	2873
Blanks	1198
BOARD OF HEALTH (Three years).	
Maurice J. Quinlan, Citizens.....	2363
Francis X. Trudell, Nomination Paper.....	1380
Blanks	328
SEWER COMMISSIONER (Three years).	
John L. Bowen, Nomination Paper.....	1566
Frank P. Dillon, Citizens.....	2154
Blanks	351
SCHOOL COMMITTEE (Three years).	
Alfred B. Cenedella, Citizens, Independent.....	2754
George E. Stacy, Citizens.....	2929
Blanks	2459
TRUSTEES PUBLIC LIBRARY (Three years).	
Stephen H. Reynolds, Citizens.....	2820
George W. Wood, Citizens.....	2612
Blanks	2710
TRUSTEES PUBLIC LIBRARY (One year).	
To fill vacancy.	
Thomas J. Nugent, Citizens.....	2879
Blanks	1192
TRUSTEES VERNON GROVE CEMETERY (Three years).	
William Emery, Citizens.....	2600
William S. Marden, Citizens.....	2574
Blanks	2967
PARK COMMISSIONER (Three years).	
Martin J. Wallace, Citizens.....	2803
Blanks	1268
PLANNING BOARD (Three years).	
Frank E. Norcrosss, Citizens.....	2654
Blanks	1417

TREE WARDEN (Cne year).

Patrick F. Fitzgerald, Citizens.....	2723
Blanks	1348

CONSTABLES (Cne year).

James J. Birmingham, Citizens.....	3034
Charles Caruso, Citizens.....	3227
James J. Fullum, Citizens.....	3345
John J. Moloney, Citizens.....	3116
William M. Russell, Nomination Paper.....	974
John C. Wilson, Citizens.....	2745
Blanks	3914

The ballots cast and the lists of voters used at the meeting were delivered to the town clerk as the law requires.

The unused ballots and all soiled and cancelled ballots were sealed and delivered to the town clerk as the law requires.

The oath of office was administered to Dennis J. Sullivan, Town Clerk, in open meeting by John T. McLoughlin, moderator.

The oath of office was administered to Philip Cenedella, Fred W. Fitzsimmons and John E. Higgiston, Selectmen, in open meeting by John T. McLoughlin, moderator.

The oath of office was administered to Edward C. Beaulac, highway surveyor, Joseph V. Carey, auditor, John J. Moloney and John C. Wilson, constables, in open meeting by John T. McLoughlin, moderator.

The meeting was then adjourned until Friday evening, March 6, 1925, at eight o'clock P. M. in the Town Hall.

A true record. Attest:

DENNIS J. SULLIVAN,

Town Clerk.

A true copy of the record.

Attest:

DENNIS J. SULLIVAN,

Town Clerk.

ADJOURNED TOWN MEETING, MARCH 6, 1925.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

Worcester, ss.

Milford, March 6, 1925.

In pursuance to a vote passed at the annual town meeting, March 2, 1925, the inhabitants of the Town of Milford qualified by law to vote in elections and in town affairs, met in Town Hall and proceeded as follows:

The meeting was called to order by John T. McLoughlin, moderator, at eight o'clock P. M.

Article 3. Voted: To receive and accept the reports of all town officers as printed in the annual town reports.

Voted: To pass over the remainder of the article.

Article 4. William A. Murray, secretary of the finance committee, submitted the following report for the committee:

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

We recommend the following appropriations for 1925:

Board of Health:—

General	\$3,916 00	
Dental Clinic.....	2,400 00	
	—————	\$6,310 00

Fire Department:—

Brush fires.....	\$200 00	
Incidentals	3,000 00	
New hose.....	1,000 00	
Pay roll	11,520 00	
Repairs	600 00	
Increase of pay.....	1,400 00	
	—————	17,720 00

Fees (General Laws, Chapter 262, Sec. 51)	500 00
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Highways:—

General	\$46,000 00	
New truck	5,000 00	
Whitney Street	1,000 00	
Unpaid bills, 1924.....	5,926 62	
	<hr/>	57,926 62

Incidentals:—

General		5,500 00
Interest		18,500 00

Memorial Day:—

Post 22, G. A. R.....	\$200 00	
J. W. Powers Post, American Legion :	200 00	
Spanish War Veterans.....	30 00	
	<hr/>	430 00

Memorial Hall:—

General		1,100 00
Military Aid		500 00
North Purchase Cemetery.....		50 00
Police Department		12,000 00

Poor Department:—

General	\$26,000 00	
Unpaid bills, 1924.....	437 94	
	<hr/>	26,437 94
Mother's Aid	\$20,000 00	
Unpaid bills, 1924.....	85 00	
Painting Town Farm build- ings, not to exceed.....	800 00	
	<hr/>	20,885 00

Reserve Fund		5,000 00
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Salaries:—

General	\$17,000 00	
Finance Committee Secretary	50 00	
	<hr/>	17,050 00

School Department:—

General		175,500 00
Sidewalks		5,000 00

Sewer Department:—

General	\$7,600 00	
Filter system	3,500 00	
Unpaid bills, 1924.....	1,109 37	
		<hr/>
		12,209 37

New Constructions:

North Street, Dominic Street, Plains Street, Quinlan Street, Glines Ave..	5,000 00	
Soldiers' Relief	4,000 00	
Soldiers and Sailors, care of graves (Gen. Laws, Chap. 115)	100 00	
Street lighting	17,000 00	
State Aid (Civil and Spanish Wars)	1,800 00	
Tax Collector's Bond, premium.....	250 00	
Treasurer's Bond, Premium.....	200 00	

Town Hall:—

General	\$3,000 00	
Painting inside, not to exceed	1,200 00	
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		4,200 00

Town debt.....	30,500 00
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Town Library:—

Balance Dog Tax, 1923.....	\$322 16	
Dog Tax, 1924.....	1,511 41	
and	1,700 00	
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		3,533 57

Town Parks:—

General	\$1,800 00	
Playgrounds	650 00	
Unpaid bills, 1924.....	49 68	
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		2,499 68

Tree Warden:—

Care of trees and shrubs....	\$1,000 00	
Gypsy moth suppression.....	500 00	
New trees	100 00	
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		1,600 00

Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture...	100 00
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Vernon Grove Cemetery.....	250 00
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Water for fire purposes.....	8,000 00
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Watering streets and laying dust.....	2,100 00
Water, costs to be assessed to abutters....	900 00
Workmen's Compensation premium.....	1,000 00
Cedar Street Extension, unpaid bill, 1923..	461 51
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	\$466,113 69

(Total appropriations, excluding warrant in 1924, \$432,437.13.)

UNPAID BILLS.

This year, the Highway Surveyor, the Overseers of the Poor, the Sewer Commissioners, and the Park Commissioners are guilty of exceeding their appropriations. The Finance Committee again calls attention to the fact that officers render themselves liable to indictment when exceeding their appropriations. The fact that outstanding bills for their department have not been presented before the close of the fiscal year is not a valid excuse for overdrawing, in the minds of the Committee. We feel that no town officer is properly performing his duties who does not know the amount of indebtedness that he has contracted and has not retained sufficient funds to meet it.

We have increased the general appropriations in the highway department to \$46,000.00. The former highway surveyor requested this amount, stating substantial repairs were to be made on South Main Street, Fruit Street, part of Main Street, Depot Street, Congress Street, Cedar Street and Central Street. The present highway surveyor is also committed to this plan. Accordingly, with the increased appropriation, these several streets will receive much needed attention.

TOWN WARRANT.

Article 15. Relative to increase in pay in the fire department, the committee recommends that the pay of each call member of the department be increased \$50.00 per year, making the total of each man's pay \$150.00 per year; that the pay of each engineer be increased \$50.00

per year, so that the total pay of each engineer will be \$200.00 per year.

To meet the funds necessary for this increase, we have made provisions in the fire department appropriation of an additional \$1,400.00, this being an amount necessary for the remainder of the year from May 1, the date when the increase is to take effect.

Article 16. Relative to increase of salary of town treasurer to \$1,500.00. We recommend that it be acted upon favorably.

Article 21. Repairs to Short Street.

Article 22. Repairs to Cherry Street.

Article 23. Repairs to Beach Street Extension. We recommend be passed over, and that the highway surveyor give immediate attention to the repairs requested on said streets. Highway general appropriation has been increased from \$35,000.00 to \$46,000.00, so that this extra money may be available for the specific repairs.

Article 24. Relative to building a tar sidewalk on Cedar Street. We recommend be passed over.

Article 25. Calling for \$1,000.00 for repairing Madden Avenue. We recommend be acted upon favorably.

Articles 27, 30, 38, 39, 41. Calling for appropriations for extension of the sewerage system upon certain streets. We recommend be passed over, as we have given the sewerage commission an extra appropriation of \$5,000.00 for sewerage construction to be used on these streets in 1925, to such an extent as this amount will pay for. It is the plan of this committee to appropriate a similar amount for new construction each year, so that gradually such parts of the town, which require sewerage facilities, shall be provided for.

Article 34. Relative to re-imbursing the Town of Hopkinton \$250.00. We recommend be acted upon favorably.

Article 37. Relative to petitioning the Legislature for authority to raise \$300,000.00 for the purpose of making alterations and additions to the Milford High School.

The finance committee recognizes the fact that there is an overcrowded condition in the Stacy and High Schools. At the same time it is aware of unsatisfactory and improper conditions, that are a menace to the health of the children, are contrary in some instances to the regulations and orders of the State authorities, and come near to being a disgrace to the town, at the so-called Brick, Chapin Street, Plains, and West Street schoolhouses. Inasmuch as the carrying out of the plan proposed by the school committee would solve only one of our several schoolhouse problems, and in all probability would necessitate an increase in the town's debt to an amount at least 50 per cent beyond our present debt limit, the finance committee cannot recommend the adoption of the school committee's plan. We feel that there should be a further study of Milford's schoolhouse needs with a view to securing and presenting to the voters a less costly building plan for alleviating the regrettable crowded conditions at the Stacy and High Schools, and that at the same time, there should be presented plans for remedying some or all of the deplorable conditions existing at other schoolhouses mentioned.

Accordingly, we recommend, under Article 37, that a committee be appointed by the Chair, consisting of one member of the board of selectmen, two members of the school board, and two citizens at large, who are not members of either of said boards, to consider and investigate the situation in the premises, and to report back their conclusions at a future town meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS J. WELCH,

Chairman.

WILLIAM A. MURRAY,

Secretary.

Voted: To receive and accept the report of the Finance Committee and act upon the same item by item.

Voted: To raise and appropriate:—

For Board of Health:—

General	\$3,910 00	
Dental Clinic	2,400 00	
	<hr/>	\$6,310 00

Fire Department:—

Brush fires	\$200 00	
Incidentals	3,000 00	
New hose	1,000 00	
Pay roll	11,520 00	
Repairs	600 00	
Increase in pay.....	1,400 00	
	<hr/>	17,720 00

Fees (General Laws, Chapter 262, Sec. 51)		500 00
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Highways:—

General	\$46,000 00	
New truck	5,000 00	
Whitney Street	1,000 00	
Unpaid bills, 1924.....	5,926 62	
	<hr/>	57,926 62

Incidentals:—

General		5,500 00
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Interest		18,500 00
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Memorial Day:—

Post 22, G. A. R.....	\$200 00	
J. W. Powers Post, American		
Legion	200 00	
Spanish War Veterans.....	30 00	
	<hr/>	430 00

Memorial Hall:—

General		1,100 00
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Military Aid		500 00
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North Purchase Cemetery.....		50 00
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Police Department		12,000 00
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Poor Department:—

General	\$26,000 00	
Unpaid bills, 1924.....	437 34	
	<hr/>	26,437 34

Mother's Aid.....	\$20,000 00	
Unpaid bills, 1924.....	85 00	
Painting Town Farm build- ings, not to exceed.....	800 00	
	<hr/>	20,885 00
Reserve Fund		5,000 00
Salaries:—		
General	\$17,000 00	
Finance Committee Secretary	50 00	
	<hr/>	17,050 00
School Department:—		
General		175,500 00
Sidewalks		5,000 00
Sewer Department:—		
General	\$7,600 00	
Filter system.....	3,500 00	
Unpaid bills, 1924.....	1,109 37	
	<hr/>	12,209 37
New constructions:		
North Street, Dominic Street, Plains Street, Quinlan Street, Glines Ave..		5,000 00
Soldiers' Relief		4,000 00
Soldiers and Sailors, care of graves (Gen. Laws, Chap. 115)		100 00
Street lighting		17,000 00
State Aid (Civil and Spanish Wars)		1,800 00
Tax Collector's bond, premium.....		250 00
Treasurer's bond, premium.....		200 00
Town Hall:—		
General	\$3,000 00	
Painting inside same, not to exceed	1,200 00	
	<hr/>	4,200 00
Town Debt		30,500 00
Town Library:—		
Balance Dog Tax, 1923.....	\$322 16	

Dog Tax, 1924.....	1,511 41	
and	1,700 00	
	<hr/>	3,533 57
Town Parks:—		
General	\$1,800 00	
Playgrounds	650 00	
Unpaid bills, 1924.....	49 68	
	<hr/>	2,499 68
Tree Warden:—		
Care of trees and shrubs....	\$1,000 00	
Gypsy moth suppression....	500 00	
New trees	100 00	
	<hr/>	1,600 00
Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture		
(General Laws, Chap. 128)		100 00
Vernon Grove Cemetery.....		250 00
Water for fire purposes.....		8,000 00
Watering streets and laying dust.....		2,100 00
Water, cost to be assessed to abutters.....		900 00
Workmen's Compensation premium.....		1,000 00

Voted: To appropriate the Dog Tax of 1924 (\$1,511.41) for Town Library.

Article 5. Voted: That all poll taxes for the year 1925 shall become due and payable July 15, 1925, and that all personal and real estate taxes shall become due and payable October 15, 1925.

On all taxes remaining unpaid November 1st, 1925, interest at the rate of six per cent per annum on all taxes amounting to Two Hundred Dollars, and eight per cent on all taxes in excess of Two Hundred Dollars shall be charged from October 15, 1925.

The collector shall be paid eight-tenths of one per cent of each payment made to the town treasurer on account of taxes and assessments.

The collector shall pay all expenses of his office, namely, printing, postage, and office supplies.

He shall be allowed expenses for rent, telephone, light and heat, of office room now used by him, and all

expenses incurred by him at law or equity for the collection of taxes or assessments.

Article 6. Voted: To pass over the article.

Article 7. Voted: That the selectmen be authorized to take charge of all legal proceedings for or against the town.

Article 8. Voted: That the town treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money on and after January 1, 1926, in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1926, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1926. Yes, 253; No, 0.

Article 9. Voted: To pass over the article.

Article 10. Myron Morey was chosen director for the Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture, for one year, under the provisions of Chapter 128, General Laws of Massachusetts.

Article 11. Voted: That the treasurer be authorized to transfer the unexpended balances of the following accounts to the surplus revenue account:

Board of Health: Unpaid bills of 1921	\$141 89
Dilla Street sidewalk.....	37 00
Grant Street Repairs.....	24 40
Highways: Repairs to town barn.....	3 26
Incidentals: Unpaid bills of 1923.....	10 00
Land Damages: Medway Street, unpaid bills of 1923.....	10
Memorial Hall Insurance.....	135 04
Memorial Hall Repairs.....	05
Poor: Unpaid bills of 1922.....	18 16
Poor: Unpaid bills of 1923, Mothers' Aid	69 90
Sidewalk: East Main Street.....	3 00
Street Lights: West Fountain Street..	63 00
Watering trough, removal of.....	96 30

New fire alarm box near Hopedale Mfg.

Co. plant	6 54
Whitney Street Repairs.....	2 45

Voted: To pass over the article.

Article 12. Voted: That the treasurer be authorized to transfer the unexpended balance, viz., \$2.90 of the 1923 Cedar Street Construction Account to the 1924 Cedar Street Construction Account.

Voted: To pass over the article.

Article 13. Moved: To accept the provisions of Section 48 of Chapter 31 of the General Laws of Massachusetts, and to restrict the application of the provisions of said chapter and the amendments thereto to the police force.

Moved: To amend motion and moved to defer and postpone consideration of Article 13, until Article 42 in warrant is acted upon.

Thomas J. Welch, Matthew J. Carbary, George E. Stanley, James E. Birmingham were appointed tellers to count a hand vote.

The motion to amend was declared lost. Yes, 416; No, 717.

Moved: To amend original motion and vote by ballot and use of check lists.

The motion to amend original motion and vote by ballot and use of check lists was declared lost. Yes, 406; No, 559. Hand vote.

Moved: That the previous question be now put.

A motion to adjourn until Tuesday evening, March 10, 1925, was declared out of order.

Frederick A. Nealon was appointed a teller to act in place of James E. Birmingham.

Voted: That the previous question be now put. Yes, 637; No, 357. Hand vote.

Voted: To accept the provisions of Section 48 of Chapter 31 of the General Laws of Massachusetts, and restrict the application of said chapter and the amend-

ments thereto to the police force. Yes, 685; No, 369. Hand vote.

Article 14. A motion to adjourn the meeting until Tuesday evening, March 10, 1925, at eight o'clock, was defeated on a voice vote.

Voted: To adjourn until 11:20 o'clock P. M., March 6, 1925. Voice vote. Meeting called to order by the moderator.

Voted: To adjourn until 11:30 o'clock P. M., March 6, 1925. Voice vote. Meeting called to order by the moderator.

A motion to adjourn until Tuesday evening, March 10, 1925, at 8 o'clock, was defeated on a voice vote.

Voted: To accept the provisions of Section 49 of Chapter 31 of the General Laws of Massachusetts which extends the provisions of the Civil Service to the chief of police. Voice vote. Vote doubted by a voter. Joseph H. Doyle, George W. Ellis, Sumner C. Reynolds, John H. Cunniff appointed tellers by the moderator to count a hand vote.

The moderator ordered a voice vote on the question.

The moderator declared that the meeting had voted to accept the provisions of Section 49 of Chapter 31 of the General Laws of Massachusetts which extends the provisions of the Civil Service to the chief of police. Voice vote.

Voted: To adjourn until Tuesday evening, March 10, 1925, at 8 o'clock, in Town Hall.

Above vote to adjourn passed at 12:58 o'clock A. M., March 7, 1925.

A true record. Attest:

DENNIS J. SULLIVAN,
Town Clerk.

A true copy of the record. Attest:

DENNIS J. SULLIVAN,
Town Clerk.

RECOUNT OF VOTES FOR SELECTMEN OF THE TOWN OF MILFORD, MASS.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

Worcester, ss.

Milford, March 7, 1925.

We, the undersigned registrars of voters of the Town of Milford, Mass., acting upon the petition of John H. Egan and twenty-five other legal voters of said Town, demanding a recount of the ballots cast for selectmen at the annual Town meeting, held in said Town on the second day of March, A. D. 1925, met this seventh day of March, A. D., 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of recounting the ballots cast, and after examining all ballots cast at said Town meeting for selectmen, we determined as follows: That

John J. Best, of 40 Franklin Street, Nomination Paper, had	938
Philip Cenedella, of 68 School Street, Independent, had	1858
John F. Damon, of 28 Church Street, Nomination Paper, had	1525
Fred W. Fitzsimmons, of 46 Jefferson Street, Citizens, had	1812
John E. Higgiston, of 274 Main Street, Citizens, had	1900
Thomas F. Malloy, of 10 Granite Street, Independent, had	1843
Dean R. Spindel, of 97 Congress Street, Citizens, had	1763
Blanks had	544

Whole number of ballots 4071

Philip Cenedella, John E. Higgiston, Thomas F. Malloy were declared elected selectmen.

L. BLAINE LIBBEY,
EDWARD J. BURKE,
GEORGE W. BILLINGS,
DENNIS J. SULLIVAN,

Registrars of Voters of Milford, Mass.

A true copy of the record. Attest:

DENNIS J. SULLIVAN,
Town Clerk.

ADJOURNED TOWN MEETING, MARCH 10, 1925.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

Worcester, ss.

Milford, March 10, 1925.

In pursuance to a vote passed at an adjourned town meeting, March 6, 1925, the inhabitants of the Town of Milford, qualified by law to vote in elections and town affairs, met in Town Hall and proceeded as follows:

The meeting was called to order by John T. McLoughlin, moderator, at eight o'clock P. M.

Article 15. A motion that the Town increase the pay of the call members of the Milford Fire Department from One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) per man per year to Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) per man per year, and the pay of the engineers of said department from One Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$150.00) per man per year to Three Hundred Dollars (\$300.00) per man per year, said increases to be effective May 1, 1925, and that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty-nine Hundred and Seventy-five Dollars (\$2,975.00) for said increases was voted down.

An amendment to the above motion, that the town increase the pay of the call members of the Milford Fire Department from One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) per man per year to One Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$150.00) per man per year and the pay of the engineers of said department from One Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$150.00) per man per year to Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) per man per year was carried by a voice vote.

It was voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of Twelve Thousand Nine Hundred and Twenty Dollars (\$12,920.00) for pay of members of the Fire Department.

Voted: To pass over the article.

Article 16. A motion to pass over the article was lost on a voice vote. A motion to increase the salary of the Treasurer from One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) per year to Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500.00) per year was lost. Yes, 347; No, 553.

Voted: To increase the salary of the Treasurer from One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) per year to Twelve Hundred Dollars (\$1,200.00) per year. Voice vote.

Voted: To pass over the article.

Article 17. Voted: To pass over the article.

Article 18. Voted: To pass over the article.

Article 19. Voted: To pass over the article.

Article 20. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) for the purpose of making repairs to the lower end of Whitney Street.

Voted: To pass over the article.

Article 21. Voted: To pass over the article.

Article 22. Voted: To pass over the article.

Article 23. Voted: To pass over the article.

Article 24. Voted: To pass over the article.

Article 25. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) for the purpose of repairing Madden Avenue.

Voted: To pass over the article.

Article 26. Voted: To place a fire alarm box at or near the corner of Franklin and Claflin Streets, and raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) for said purpose.

Voted: To pass over the article.

Article 27. Voted: To pass over the article.

Article 28. Voted: To locate a fire alarm box at the corner of Central and East Streets, and raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) for said purpose.

Article 29. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) for the purpose of locating a hydrant on the upper end of Emmons Street.

Voted: To pass over the article.

Article 30. Voted: To pass over the article.

Article 31. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred and Twenty-six Dollars (\$126.00) for the purpose of locating seven (7) additional street lights on Beaver Street, from the corner of Central and Beaver Streets, to a point opposite the residence of Michael O'Brien.

Voted: To pass over the article.

Article 32. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of Fifty-four Dollars (\$54.00) for the purpose of locating three (3) street lights on Ferguson Street.

Voted: To pass over the article.

Article 33. Voted: To pass over the article.

Article 34. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$250.00) for the purpose of reimbursing the Town of Hopkinton for money expended in 1924, towards the cost of operation of the Hopkinton Division of the M. & U. Street Railway.

Voted: To pass over the article.

Article 35. Voted: That John H. Cunniff, Joseph H. Doyle, William J. Walker, and the Board of Selectmen be a committee to investigate and report at some future meeting the probable cost of, and the reduction in insurance rates likely to result from the installing of sprinkler systems in the larger and more valuable buildings owned by the Town.

Voted: To pass over the article.

Article 36. Voted: To pass over the article.

Article 37. Voted: That the school committee be and hereby are authorized to petition the Legislature for authority to raise, outside the statutory debt limit, a sum not to exceed the sum of Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000.00) for school building purposes. Voice vote.

Voted: That the school committee, the three members of the Board of Selectmen, George F. Birch and Benjamin T. Clancy, be a committee to petition the Legisla-

ture for authority to raise, outside the statutory debt limit, a sum not to exceed the sum of Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000.00) for school building purposes. Yes, 316; No, 153; Sumner C. Reynolds, William J. Moore, Benjamin T. Clancy and Allen A. Hartwell having been appointed by the moderator to count the hand vote.

Voted: To pass over the article.

Article 38. Voted: To pass over the article.

Article 39. Voted: To pass over the article.

Article 40. Voted: To pass over the article.

Article 41. Voted: To pass over the article.

Article 42. Voted: To locate eight electric lights on West Fountain and Highland Streets, from the property of Percy Abell on West Fountain Street to property of William Bandy at the corner of said streets, thence on Highland Street to property of Daniel Glennon, raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred and Twenty-eight Dollars (\$128.00) for said purpose.

Voted: To pass over the article.

Voted: To take up Article 4.

Article 4. Voted: To raise and appropriate the sum of Four Hundred and Sixty-one Dollars and Fifty-one Cents (\$461.51) for Cedar Street construction, unpaid bill of 1923.

Voted: To dissolve the warrant.

A true record. Attest:

DENNIS J. SULLIVAN,
Town Clerk.

A true copy of the record. Attest:

DENNIS J. SULLIVAN,
Town Clerk.

MEETING TO FILL VACANCY ON BOARD OF
TRUSTEES OF TOWN LIBRARY.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

Worcester, ss.

Milford, March 25, 1925.

At a joint meeting of the Board of Trustees of Town Library and the Board of Selectmen held on the above date for the purpose of filling the vacancy on the Board of Trustees of Town Library caused by the death of Nathaniel F. Blake, the said boards proceeded as follows:

Thomas J. Quirk, trustee of Town Library, was chosen as chairman.

Dennis J. Sullivan, town clerk, was chosen as secretary.

A ballot was taken for the choice of trustee. Whole number of ballots cast, seven, all of which were for Charles A. Blaisdell.

Charles A. Blaisdell was declared elected to said office.

Philip Cenedella, Thomas F. Malloy, John E. Higginson, selectmen, and Thomas J. Nugent, George W. Wood, Thomas J. Quirk and Stephen J. Reynolds, trustees of Town Library, were present and voted.

A true record. Attest:

DENNIS J. SULLIVAN,
Town Clerk.

A true copy of the record.

DENNIS J. SULLIVAN,
Town Clerk.

TOWN OF MILFORD, MASS., JURY LIST, 1925.

Prepared by the Selectmen under the provisions of Chapter 234, General Laws of Massachusetts.

Name	Residence	Occupation
Aldrich, Basil E.	12 Grant	Straw-worker
Anderson, Carl S.	118 Purchase	Shoe-worker
Barry, William H.	10 Carroll	Clerk
Bessozzi, John H.	125 E. Main	Shoe-worker
Birmingham, Thomas	86 West	Machinist
Bradley, John F.	237 Central	Shoe-worker
Brown, Charles S.	53 So. Main	Machinist
Brown, William P.	15 Vine	Machinist
Burke, Patrick H.	167 Main	Agent
Burke, Michael D.	79 Hayward	Carpenter
Burke, Edward J.	140 West	Insurance
Burns, Frederick T.	12 Hollis	Merchant
Burns, Thomas M.	2 Burns Court	Machinist
Cahill, James J.	293 Main	Shoe-worker
Cahill, Joseph F.	82 Spruce	Chauffeur
Cahill, Frank H.	5 Fells Av.	Shoe-worker
Caruso, Alfred B.	13 Main	Insurance
Casey, Fred V.	28 Chapin	Salesman
Carey, Patrick F.	55 So. Bow	Shoe-worker
Carey, William H.	11 Thayer	Clerk
Carron, Peter B.	135 Spruce	Barber
Carron, Thomas J.	63 So. Bow	Barber
Carini, William J.	10 Madden Av.	Chauffeur
Casey, P. Eugene	30 Purchase	Real Estate
Clancey, Benjamin J.	145 West	Insurance
Cenedella, Philip	63 School	Contractor
Clarke, Clifton H.	61 Purchase	Farmer
Clarridge, Arthur P.	280 Purchase	Contractor
Cloonan, Patrick P.	94 Spruce	Machinist
Cloonan, Thomas E.	Congress	Machinist
Collins, William J.	22 Franklin	M'g'r. Foundry
Coakley, William J.	40 Thayer	Machinist
Condry, William E.	90 Spruce	Shoe-worker

Name	Residence	Occupation
Connors, James J.	31 Pearl	Clerk
Cooney, Charles E.	38 Claflin	Merchant
Coyne, Thomas H.	7 Mayhew Slip	Machinist
Cronan, John D.	1 Grove	Salesman
Cronan, Henry L.	75 Congress	Clerk
Croughwell, Owen F.	3 Walnut	Foreman
Cuddihy, John F.	73 School	Laborer
Cunniff, John H.	14 Spring	Real Estate
Dacey, Patrick C. J.	34 Franklin	Quarryman
Dalrymple, Gordon L.	4 Burns Court	Garage Prop.
Davoren, John H.	290 Main	Merchant
Davoren, Edward C.	84 Purchase	Expresman
Davoren, Thomas F.	26 Jefferson	Foreman
Darney, William J.	7 Alden	Machinist
DeCoste, Michael H.	34 Franklin	Painter
Dugan, William A.	1 Otis	Barber
Duggan, Edward	90½ Spruce	Straw-worker
Edwards, James F.	16 Water	Inspector
Edwards, Charles H.	38 Bancroft Av.	Machinist
Egan, William H.	77 West	Clerk
Eldredge, Herbert S.	276 Main	Paint Dealer
Fahey, Joseph J.	86 Water	Clerk
Field, Frank D.	150 Congress	Retired
Fitzpatrick, Michael W.	Cedar	Granite-cutter
Fitzsimmons, Fred'k W.	45 Jefferson	Manufacturer
Fleming, Charles P.	46 Claflin	Auto Agent
Flynn, William H.	13 Spruce	Stable-keeper
Forbes, William H.	32 Fruit	Engineer
Fiorani, Walter F.	5 Thayer	Machinist
Fuller, George H.	11 State	Barber
Gallagher, William E.	105 Spruce	Clerk
Gillon, Patrick H.	173 Congress	Retired
Gillon, Charles F.	81 School	Shipping Clerk
Gibbons, John T.	273 Main	Machinist
Gilmore, Christopher S.	278 Main	Machinist
Hancock, George A. P.	31 Purchase	Clerk
Harty, Michael H.	4 Fells Av.	Shoe-worker

Name	Residence	Occupation
Healy, Michael J.	16 Fruit	Coachman
Hickey, Simon P.	72 Pine	Cigar-maker
Higgiston, John E.	274 Main	Plumber
Higgins, Thomas F.	Parker Hill Av.	Victualler
Hilton, John A.	68 Grove	Clerk
Hennessy, John F.	37 Pearl	Shoe-worker
Hoffman, Burton N.	60 Exchange	Clerk
Holland, Hubert F.	33 Parkhurst	Machinist
Hynes, William F.	60 Hayward	Shoe-worker
Johnson, Perley S.	Park Terrace	Painter
Joy, Irving W.	43 Claflin	Clerk
Joslin, Charles A.	42 No. Bow	Shoe-worker
Kane, Daniel J.	56 So. Main	Grocer
Keene, Samuel H.	102 Main	Teamster
Keefe, John L.	25 Franklin	Retired
Kelley, Bernard F.	6 Claflin	Clerk
Keenan, Owen P.	42 Pearl	Insurance
Kilburn, Henry	5 Otis	Screw-maker
Kimball, Charles H.	44 Emmons	Truckman
King, A. Irving	43 Purchase	Shoe-worker
Kirby, David	7 Oliver Court	Shoe-worker
Lally, John H.	72 High	Shoe-worker
Lang, Dominick J.	27 So. Bow	Clerk
Larkin, Albert J.	85 High	Clerk
Larkin, George V.	282½ Main	Clerk
Larkin, George A.	26 Emmons	Clothier
Larkin, Edward J.	282½ Main	Cond'ct'r St. Ry.
Leahy, William D.	43 Church	Editor
Libbey, L. Blaine	36 Pleasant	Clerk
Livingston, Edward J.	Park Terrace	Motorman
Lundgren, Oscar	Cedar	Laborer
Lynch, John E.	44 So. Bow	Machinist
Mahoney, John J.	10 Glines Av.	Retired
Mainini, Ernest P.	21 Dominick	Chauffeur
Mainini, Rudolph	127 E. Main	Merchant
Malloy, Thomas F.	Medway	Painter
Mason, Charles P.	22 Fayette	Carpenter

Name	Residence	Occupation
May Christopher T.	37 No. Bow	Machinist
Mader, Wallace B.	301½ Church	Clerk
McAvoy, William F.	318 Main	Janitor
McGee, Thomas J. H.	28 Court	Cond'ct'r St. Ry.
Mead, Fred L.	306 Main	Clerk
Mee, Frank J.	34 So. Bow	Barber
Martin, Alfred F.	19 Fruit	Sup't Sewers
McLoughlin, John T.	26 Pearl	Insurance
McMahon, Michael S.	11 Court	Contractor
Miller Fred W.	66 Main	Laborer
Mitchell, Henry G.	17 Prospect	Insurance
Moore, William E.	13 Thayer	Shoe-worker
Moore, Herbert W.	164 Congress	Foreman
Moore, Mark H.	130 Spruce	Shoe-worker
Moore, Thomas F. 2nd.	49 Jefferson	Shoe-worker
Mongiat, Joseph	190 Main	Core-maker
Moran, Austin J.	48 No. Bow	Weaver
Morcone, Joseph	25 Main	Banker
Morey, Nelson	390 Purchase	Farmer
Morey, Myron	Haven	Farmer
Morgan, James L.	27 Jefferson	Clerk
Moriarty, Frederick H.	42 Emmons	Clerk
Murray, Edward D.	127 So. Main	Clerk
Murphy, James N.	17 Middleton	Janitor
Murphy, Frank D.	451 Purchase	Farmer
Mulligan, J. William	E. Main	Motorman
O'Brien, Mark F.	32 Pearl	Chauffeur
O'Brien, William W.	57 West	Truckman
O'Brien, James H.	57 West	Shoe-worker
O'Keefe, Arthur F.	6 Leonard	Retired
O'Connor, Edward J.	412 Purchase	Farmer
O'Malley, James A.	28 Franklin	Shoe-worker
O'Rourke, Dennis F.	29 Fruit	Machinist
O'Sullivan, Edward J.	16 Taylor	Cond'ct'r St. Ry.
Parkhurst, Warren E.	28 Court	Clerk
Powers, John L.	12 Mechanic	Motorman
Pratt, Louis P.	Beaver	Plumber

Name	Residence	Occupation
Prentiss, William N.	Asylum	Farmer
Pyne, William H.	295 Main	Shoe-dealer
Quinlan, Maurice J.	34 Central	Plumber
Quirk, Stephen C. J.	Parker Hill Av.	Carpenter
Quirk, Thomas F.	360 Main	Machinist
Ray, Hugh	83 So. Main	Farmer
Reynolds, Mortimore W.	97 E. Main	Teamster
Richardson, George A.	57 Forest	Grocer
Roche, John E.	8 Myrtle	Clerk
Ross, Leo F.	Cedar	Engineer
Ruhan, James F.	87 Water	Laundryman
Ruhan, John F.	57 Claflin	Machinist
Saunders, Charles H.	28 Franklin	Clerk
Sanclemente, Louis O.	44 Emmons	Clerk
Schultz, Ernest L.	23 Spring	Machinist
Sherman, William M.	67 Pine	Prop. Laundry
Shurtlieff, John G.	75½ School	Machinist
Sheehan, Thomas F.	98 Main	Clerk
Sovey, Joseph C.	90 School	M'g'r. Theatre
Spindel, Dean R.	95 Congress	Grocer
Stanley, George E.	96 School	Carpenter
Stopp, William E.	32 Grant	Clerk
Sullivan, John J.	6 Orchard	Cond'ct'r St. Ry.
Sullivan, John	7 Thayer	Rubber-worker
Sweeney, Michael B.	43 W. Walnut	Test Man Tel. Co.
Spencer, Abner	19 Fayette	Chauffeur
Touhey, Tobias S.	22 W. Pine	Foreman
Touhey, Charles V.	22 W. Pine	Shoe-worker
Trevett, William H.	44 So. Main	Machinist
Tynan, Michael T.	17 Court	Shoe-worker
Wallace, John E.	11 High	Machinist
Watson, Everett G.	35 Grant	Clerk
Ward, Cressy F.	76 Congress	Motorman
Ward, Isaac W.	46 Emmons	Foreman
Warren, Elmer W.	14 Leonard	Clerk
Waters, Thomas F.	63 Pine	Shoe-worker
Webster, Harry A.	8 Spring	M'g'r. Gas Sta.

Name	Residence	Occupation
Wheeler, H. Edson	92 Main	Jeweler
Wright, Frank L.	25 Parker Hill	Motorman
Whitney, Ernest A.	138 Congress	Machinist

PHILIP CENEDELLA,
THOMAS F. MALLOY,
JOHN E. HIGGISTON,
Selectmen of Milford.

A true copy. Attest:

DENNIS J. SULLIVAN,
Town Clerk.

WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
AUGUST 3, 1925.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

Worcester, ss.

To Either Constable in the Town of Milford, in said
County, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qualified by law to vote in elections and in town affairs, to meet at the Town Hall, in said Town, on Monday, the third day of August, A. D. 1925, punctually at eight o'clock in the evening, to act upon the following articles, namely:

Article 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Article 2. To hear and act upon the report of any committees of said Town.

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to accept and adopt a by-law or by-laws to provide for the limitation of particular classes of buildings to specified districts or zones, as provided for in General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 25, and amendments thereto, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or to appropriate a sum of money for im-

proving the unsanitary conditions in the Charles River valley, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to make application to the General Court of Massachusetts for the passage of an act to authorize precinct voting, representative town meetings, the election of town meeting members, a referendum, and an annual moderator in the Town of Milford, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to accept Section 120 A of Chapter 94 of the General Laws of Massachusetts, and establish as a further fee thereunder the sum of fifty cents for each animal slaughtered under such license, or take any action in relation thereto.

And you are hereby directed to serve This Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at each of the Public Meeting Houses and at the Post Office in said Town; also cause an attested copy to be published in The Milford Daily News, a newspaper published in said Town, Two Sabbaths at least before the time set for said meeting.

Hereof Fail Not, and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the clerk of said Town, at the time of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands at Milford, this 21st day of July, A. D. 1925.

PHILIP CENEDELLA,
THOMAS F. MALLOY,
JOHN E. HIGGISTON,
Selectmen of Milford.

A true copy. Attest:

ERNEST E. O'BRIEN,
Constable of Milford.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
Worcester, ss.

Milford, August 3, 1925.

Pursuant to the within warrant I have notified the inhabitants of the Town of Milford herein described to meet at the time and place and for the purposes within

Attest: ERNEST E. O'BRIEN,
 Constable of Milford.

Attest:

DENNIS J. SULLIVAN,
Town Clerk.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

Milford, August 3, 1925.

Under Article 1, the town clerk was instructed to cast one ballot for John T. McLoughlin, for moderator, the vote being unanimous. The clerk did as instructed and John T. McLoughlin was declared elected moderator.

Article 2. Voted: To pass over the article.

Article 3. Voted: To pass over the article.

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000.00 for the purpose of improving the

unsanitary conditions in the Charles River Valley, the money to be expended by the Town Board of Health in carrying out the plans of the Milford Reclamation District under the direction of the State Reclamation Board, and the town treasurer, with the approval of the Board of Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow said sum and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefor, said bonds or notes to be payable in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, so that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than five years from the date of issue of the first bond or note, or at such earlier dates as the treasurer and the selectmen may determine. Yes, 170; No, 0.

Matthew J. Carbary, Chester F. Williams, Fred M. Daniels and William J. Corbett were appointed by the moderator, tellers to count a rising vote on the question.

Voted: To pass over the remainder of the article.

Article 5. Clifford A. Cook, Chester F. Williams, John C. Lynch, Owen F. Croughwell and Benjamin T. Clancy were appointed a committee to consider the subject matter of the article and report at the next annual Town meeting.

Voted: To pass over the remainder of the article.

Article 6. Voted: To pass over the article.

Voted: To dissolve the warrant.

A true record. Attest:

DENNIS J. SULLIVAN,
Town Clerk.

A true copy of the record. Attest:

DENNIS J. SULLIVAN,
Town Clerk.

WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
OCTOBER 28, 1928.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

Worcester, ss.

To either Constable of the Town of Milford, in said
County, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qualified by law to vote in elections and in town affairs, to meet at the Town Hall in said Town, on Wednesday, the 28th day of October, A. D. 1925, punctually at eight o'clock in the evening, to act upon the following articles, namely:

Article 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to amend that portion of the vote passed under Article 4 of the warrant for the special town meeting held on August 3, 1925, which provides for the borrowing of \$10,000.00 for improving the unsanitary conditions in the Charles River Valley, so as to read as follows:

Voted: That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$10,000.00 for the purpose of improving the unsanitary conditions in the Charles River Valley, the money to be expended by the Board of Health in carrying out the plans of the Milford Reclamation District under the direction of the State Reclamation Board, and that to meet said appropriation, there be appropriated from the surplus war bonus fund, so-called, the sum of \$3,600.00, and the treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow the sum of \$6,400.00 and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefor, said bonds or notes to be payable in accordance with the provisions of Section 19 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws so that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than five years from the date of issue of the first bond or note, or at such earlier dates as the treasurer and selectmen may determine.

And you are hereby directed to serve this Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at each of the Public Meeting Houses and at the Post Office in said Town, also cause an attested copy to be published in the Milford Daily News, a newspaper published in said Town, Two Sabbaths at least before the time set for said meeting.

Hereof Fail Not, and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the clerk of said Town, at the time of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands at Milford this 15th day of October, A. D. 1925.

PHILIP CENEDELLA,
THOMAS F. MALLOY,
Selectmen of Milford.

A true copy. Attest:

ERNEST E. O'BRIEN,
Constable of Milford.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
Worcester, ss.

Milford, October 28, 1925.

Pursuant to the within Warrant I have notified the inhabitants of the Town of Milford herein described, to meet at the time and place and for the purposes within mentioned, by posting up attested copies of this warrant at each of the Public Meeting Houses and at the Post Office in said Town, and I have likewise caused an attested copy of this warrant to be published in the Milford Daily News, a newspaper printed in said Town, two Sabbaths before the time set for said meeting.

Attest: ERNEST E. O'BRIEN,
Constable of Milford.

A true copy of the warrant and the officer's return thereon.

Attest:
DENNIS J. SULLIVAN,
Town Clerk.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING OCTOBER 28, 1925.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

Worcester, ss.

Milford, October 28, 1925.

In pursuance to the foregoing warrant the inhabitants of the Town of Milford, qualified by law to vote in elections and in town affairs, met in Town Hall in said Town on Wednesday, the twenty-eighth day of October, A. D. 1925, and were called to order by the town clerk, who read the warrant and the officer's return thereon.

Under Article 1, the meeting made choice of John T. McLoughlin as moderator, the vote being unanimous.

Article 2. Voted: That the Town amend that portion of the vote passed under Article 4 of the warrant for the special Town meeting held on August 3, 1925, which provided for the borrowing of \$10,000.00 for improving the unsanitary conditions in the Charles River Valley, so as to read as follows:

Voted: That there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$10,000.00 for the purpose of improving the unsanitary conditions in the Charles River Valley, the money to be expended by the Board of Health in carrying out the plans of the Milford Reclamation District under the direction of the State Reclamation Board, and that to meet said appropriation there be appropriated from the surplus war bonus fund, so called, the sum of \$3,600.00, and the treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow the sum of \$6,400.00 and to issue bonds or notes to the Town therefor, said bonds or notes to be payable in accordance with the provisions of Section 19 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, so that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than five years from the date of issue of the first bond or note, or at such earlier dates as the treasurer and selectmen may determine.

Gilbert C. Eastman and Vincent I. Duggan were

appointed by the moderator tellers to count the vote.

Result of the vote: Yes, 31; No, 0.

Voted: To dissolve the warrant.

A true record. Attest:

DENNIS J. SULLIVAN,
Town Clerk.

A true copy of the record. Attest:

DENNIS J. SULLIVAN,
Town Clerk.

WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING
DECEMBER 21, 1925.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

Worcester, ss.

To Either Constable of the Town of Milford, in said
County, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth aforesaid, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qualified by law to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet at Dewey Hall, in said Town, on Monday, the 21st Day of December, A. D. 1925, punctually at eight o'clock in the evening, to act upon the following articles, namely:

Article 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000.00) from the Mother's Aid Appropriation, Poor Department, to the General Appropriation, Poor Department, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) from the Mothers' Aid Appropriation, Poor Department, to the General Appropriation, Board of Health, or take any action in relation thereto.

And you are hereby directed to serve This Warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at each of the Public Meeting Houses and at the Post Office in said Town;

also cause an attested copy to be published in The Milford Daily News, a newspaper published in said Town, Two Sabbaths at least before the time set for said meeting.

Hereof Fail Not, and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Clerk of said Town, at the time of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands at Milford, this 9th day of December, A. D. 1925.

PHILIP CENEDELLA,
THOMAS F. MALLOY,
JOHN E. HIGGISTON,
Selectmen of Milford.

A true copy. Attest:

JOHN J. MOLONEY,
Constable of Milford.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

Worcester, ss.

Milford, December 21, 1925.

Pursuant to the within Warrant I have notified the inhabitants of the Town of Milford herein described, to meet at the time and place and for the purposes within mentioned, by posting up attested copies of this Warrant at each of the Public Meeting Houses, and at the Post Office in said Town, and I have likewise caused an attested copy of this warrant to be published in the Milford Daily News, a newspaper published in said Town, Two Sabbaths before the time set for said meeting.

Attest:

JOHN J. MOLONEY,
Constable of Milford.

A true copy of the Warrant and the officer's return thereon. Attest:

DENNIS J. SULLIVAN,
Town Clerk.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING DECEMBER 21, 1925.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

Worcester, ss.

Milford, December 21, 1925.

In pursuance to the foregoing Warrant, the inhabitants of the Town of Milford, qualified by law to vote in elections and in town affairs, met in Dewey Hall in said Town, on Monday, the 21st day of December, A. D. 1925, punctually at eight o'clock in the evening, and were called to order by the town clerk, who read the Warrant and the officer's return thereon.

Under Article 1, the meeting made choice of John T. McLoughlin as moderator, the vote being unanimous.

Article 2. Voted: To transfer the sum of Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00) from the Mother's Aid Appropriation, Poor Department, to the General Appropriation, Poor Department.

Voted: To pass over the remainder of the article.

Article 3. Voted: To pass over the article.

Voted: To dissolve the Warrant.

A true record. Attest:

DENNIS J. SULLIVAN,
Town Clerk.

A true copy of the record. Attest:

DENNIS J. SULLIVAN,
Town Clerk.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT.

MISCELLANEOUS LICENSES RECORDED.

Sale of firearms	5
Common victuallers'	27
Innholders'	8
Sale of ice cream, soda water and fruit on the Lord's Day	61
Bowling alleys	3
Auctioneers	6
Theatrical	2
Carnival	1
Junk collectors	7
Keepers of shops for second hand articles...	9
Automobile agents	12
Used car dealers	3
Motor vehicle junk	3
Oleomargarine	6
Pool and billiards	7
Lodging house	6
Garage (first class)	2
Garage (third class)	5
Gasoline storage tank	1
Liquor (third class registered pharmacists) ..	4

DOG LICENSES RECORDED.

Number returned by assessors.....	630
Number licensed (males 561, females 107) ...	668
Amount received for licenses.....	\$1,657 00
Amount on hand Jan. 1, 1925 (due County) ..	\$5 40
Amount sent to County treasurer.....	\$1,527 00
Amount on hand Jan. 1, 1926 (due County) ..	\$1 80

HUNTERS', TRAPPERS' AND FISHERMEN'S CERTIFICATES OF REGISTRATION ISSUED.

Resident citizen's combination	252
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Resident citizen's hunting and trapping.....	154
Alien, hunting and trapping.....	2
Minor's, trapping	11
Resident fishermen's	136
Non-resident fishermen's	1
Alien fishermen's	4
Amount paid to director, Division Fisheries and Game	\$759 75

MORTGAGES AND OTHER LEGAL INSTRUMENTS RECORDED.

Chattel mortgages	66
Mortgages discharged	16
Married women's certificates	2
Assignments of mortgages	2
Notices of foreclosure	2
Agreement	1
Lease	1
Conditional sale agreement.....	1
Bill of sale	1
Sale of personal property.....	1
Assignments of wages	3
Declaration of trust	1
Attachment	1
Mortgage trust deed	1

VITAL STATISTICS.

Marriage intentions recorded	144
Marriage certificates issued	143
Marriages recorded	165
Deaths recorded	276
Births recorded	515

Respectfully submitted,

DENNIS J. SULLIVAN,
Town Clerk.

VITAL STATISTICS.

Parents and others are requested to carefully examine the following lists and if any errors or omissions are discovered report them at once to the town clerk, that the record may be corrected, as it is of importance that the record of Vital Statistics should be complete. Herewith are extracts from the General Laws of Massachusetts, Chapter 46.

Section 3. Every physician, or hospital medical officer registered under Section nine of Chapter one hundred and twelve, in this chapter called officer, shall keep a record of the birth of every child in cases of which he was in charge, showing date and place of birth, the name, if any, of the child, its sex and color, the name, age, birthplace, occupation and residence (including the street number, if any, and the ward number, if in a city) of each parent, the maiden name of the mother and the name of the physician or officer, if any, personally attending the birth. If the child is illegitimate, the name of and other facts relating to the father shall not be set forth except upon written request of both the father and mother. Said physician or officer shall, within fifteen days after such birth, mail or deliver to the clerk or registrar of the town where such birth occurred, a report stating the facts herein above required to be shown on said record and also the said written request, if any; provided, that if said report is not so made within forty-eight hours after such birth, said physician or officer shall, within said forty-eight hours, mail or deliver to said clerk or registrar a notice stating the date and place of the birth, the street number, if any, the ward number, if in a city, and the family name. Upon presentation to him of a certificate of the town clerk stating that any such birth has been duly reported, the town treasurer shall pay to such

physician or officer a fee of twenty-five cents for each birth so reported. Any physician or any such officer violating any provision of this section shall forfeit not more than twenty-five dollars.

Section 4. A member or servant of a family in which a child is born, having knowledge of the facts required for record relative to such births, shall furnish the same upon request of the clerk of the town where such child was born or its parents reside, or of any person authorized by him. Such member or servant refusing to furnish such facts shall be punished by fine not exceeding ten dollars.

Section 6. Parents, within forty days after the birth of a child, and every householder, within forty days after a birth in his house, shall cause notice thereof to be given to the clerk of the town where such child is born. Every householder in whose house a death occurs and the oldest next of kin of a deceased person in the town where the death occurs shall, within five days thereafter, cause notice thereof to be given to the board of health, or, if the selectmen constitute such board, to the town clerk. The keeper, superintendent or person in charge of a workhouse, house of correction, prison, reformatory, hospital, almshouse or other institution, public or private, which receives inmates from within or without the limits of the town where it is located shall, when a person is received, obtain a record of all the facts which would be required for record in the event of the death of such person, and shall, on or before the fifth day of each month, give notice to the town clerk of every birth and death among the persons under his charge during the preceding month.

Blanks for returns of births and deaths may be obtained at the office of the town clerk.

DENNIS J. SULLIVAN,
Town Clerk.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MILFORD, 1925

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Names of Parents	Father's Birthplace	Mother's Birthplace
JANUARY				
2	Joseph Niro	Orazio and Vincenzelia Laturza	Italy	Italy
4	Edward Francis Casey	Fred V. and Cora E. Jenkins	Milford	Hopedale
4	Eleanor May Tellier	Joseph and Evelina Champagne	Holyoke	Packardville
7	Shirley M. Ballou	Frank and Julia A. Flaherty	Milford	New London, Conn.
7	George Alfred Ferrari	Celso and Eslavina Dondi	Italy	Italy
8	Charles Joseph Tracy	Ralph T. and Eva M. Cody	Mass.	Mass.
9	Raymond Edward Bowen	John L. and Margaret A. Regan	Waltham	Ireland
10	Robert James Russell	Harold and Annie E. Joyce	Uxbridge	Northbridge
12	Francis Earl Kasuba	Stanley and Antonio Lachig	Russia	Germany
12	Grace Shirley Winchell	Alfred L. and Lillian Hope Bumpus	Milford	Yarmouth
13	John Edward Ingraham	John H. and Gladys Pond	Millis	Everett
14	Frank Berini	Michele and Regina Villa	Italy	Italy
15	Thomas Cunningham, Jr.	Thomas and Ellice Pinkham	Brooklyn, N. Y.	Boston, Mass.
15	Michele Iadarola	Leo and Alfonso Del Grossi	Italy	Italy
17	Clara Tassone	Luigi and Francesca Vasile	Italy	Italy
17	Robert Henry Brown	William P. and Mary Grace Bethel	Scotland	Norwich, Conn.
18	Raymond Gilbert Thomas	Gilbert and Marion LaFerriere	Canada	Canada
19	Edmund DeMeo	Vincenzo and Rose Tessicini	Italy	Italy
20	Stillborn			
21	Agnes Irene Murphy	Francis A. and Beatrice D. Evans	Hopkinton	Bristol, R. I.
21	James Maurice Fitzpatrick	James M. and Susan Cassidy	No. Bellingham	Millis
21	William Cavassa, Jr.	William and Frederica Colanti	Italy	Italy
23	Salbina Christina	John and Nicolina Jesus	Portugal	Portugal
24	William McCormick Higgins	Thomas F. and Catherine E. Nuckley	Waltham	Andover
25	Leo DeCourcy Murphy	John and Margaret DeCourcy	Upton	Clinton
25	John Chapman	Sidney E. and Catherine M. Cratty	E. Jaffrey, N. H.	Holliston
25	Beatrice Eleanor Pugsley	Harlen Oswald and Beatrice E. Miller	Nova Scotia	Rehobeth
26	Florence May Mooney	Matthew F. and Florence Wilson	W. Medway	Bellingham
26	Aznel Karakian	Masrop and Shanaraki Karakian	Armenia	Armenia
27	Alfonse Martin Gritti	Fiori M. and Mary Consoletti	Italy	Milford
25	Stillborn			
27	Rita Norton	Peter J. and Catherine A. O'Connell	Ireland	Ireland
27	MacDonald	Joseph B. and Lillian Perry	Canada	Marshfield
31	Noi DeMatteia	Peter and Filomena DeMattia	Italy	Italy
FEBRUARY				
2	Russell W. Barrus, Jr.	Russell W. and Louise Livingston	Mass.	Westfield
3	Kenneth Lawrence Hamilton	George L. and Hazel Lawrence	Calais, Me.	W. Medway

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MILFORD, 1925

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Names of Parents	Father's Birthplace	Mother's Birthplace
3	Anna Andrade	Joseph and Mary Neves	Portugal	Azore Islands
4	Eileen Loretta Sanford	Charles Sanford, Jr., and Myrtle Collins	Bristol, R. I.	Lisbon, Conn.
4	Edith Alberta Souls	Ernest E. and Florence D. Bergstrom	England	E. Greenwich, R. I.
4	James Powers	William F. and Mary E. McNeil	Milford	Milford
5	Jeanette Beatrice Valway	Raymond and Frances Grace Wright	Fairfax, Vt.	Gloucester
5	Harriet Elizabeth Rugg	Kenneth and Mary Hinds	Armenia	Middlebury, Vt.
6	Harvey Aghajanian	Alizian and Sophie Souman	Italy	Armenia
9	Dominick DeSantis	Batista and Mary Vilano	Canada	Italy
9	Joyce Lillian Gregory	Ernest and Annie Bagley	Italy	Milford
9	Paulina Givani	Leo and Leana Barbour	Italy	Italy
11	Gilbert Webster	Clarence and Nettie Smith	Lyman, N. H.	New Brunswick
12	Edith Margaret Celley	Howard F. and Amanda E. McGregor	Milford	Cambridge
13	George Piddington Earl	Henry E. and Lena Piddington	So. Berwick, Me.	Andover
13	Marston Daley	Raymond and Verena Springer	Mendon	Millis
13	Edith Druella Horne	Frank and Ellen McDonald	Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia
15	Philip Vincent Clement	John E. and Mary Rowan	Canada	Framingham
16	Shirley Irene Mowry	Charles D. and Minnie D. Roberts	No. Smithfield, R. I.	E. Douglas
19	William James Flinn	William J. and Bertha I. Davis	Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia
21	Mary Alice Gaul	James E. and Agnes Gallagher	Pittsfield	Pittsfield
21	Harriet Aloysia Miller	Leo F. and Mary Clements	Nova Scotia	Milford
22	Rita Lucy Pessotti	Peter and Emma Mainini	Italy	Gloucester
22	Hazel I. White	Ralph G. and Rose E. Abrams	Bellingham	Patterson, N. J.
23	Frank Spadoni, Jr.	Frank and Margaret Quinn	Italy	Holyoke
24	Stewart Spence, Jr.	Stuart and Viola Hopkins	Inswich	Upton
25	John William Harrington	Edward F. and Ella R. Hayes	Millville	Milford
25	George Albert Cromb	Albert and Alma Miller	Mendon	Lowell
25	Alice Oneskuk	Alexander and Rose Kumita	Russia	Russia
26	Carmella Brenna	Mario and Lucia DelSignore	Italy	Milford
27	Francis Parente	Angelo and Angelina Nordone	Italy	Italy
27	Edward Joseph Bertrand	Wilfred J. and Josephine Saucier	Phoenix, R. I.	E. Jaffrey, N. H.
27	Elizabeth Alves	Costantino and Marianna Fernandes	Portugal	Portugal
28	Edward Johnson	Joseph W. and Frances Kupchun	Dorton	Russia
28	Alma Ada Calarese	Albert and Serafina Iadarola	Italy	Italy
MARCH				
1	Catherine Anna Marengli	Stephen and Alice Abretti	Italy	Italy
1	Michele Celestini Cichetti	Mose and Marianna Fascia	Italy	Italy
2	Donald Alvin Clark	Alvin and Margaret F. Lyons	Medfield	Medway
3	Stillborn			

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MILFORD, 1925

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Names of Parents	Father's Birthplace	Mother's Birthplace
3	Barbara Marguerite Bromley	Jesse A. and Margaret T. O'Donnell	Philadelphia, Pa.	Midland
4	Kenton C. Gifford	Bruce H. and Shirley Philpot	Uxbridge	So. Berk, Me.
4	Gloria Morse	Guy and Beatrice Atkins	Holliston	Malden
4	Richard Carin Bruce	Henry and Elizabeth O'Brien	Bellingham	Hyde Park
5	Jean Louise Barker	Harry C. and Ida Gould	Milford	Hopedale
6	Russell Warren Earl	Frank L. and Nellie S. Westcott	Holliston	No. Conway, N. H.
6	Fran Mario Alberto	Frank and Juliette Galla	Italy	Italy
7	Julia Barbette Hartman	Benjamin F. and Clara B. Billings	Pawtucket, R. I.	Woonsocket, R. I.
7	Betty Virginia Weaver	Raymond and Mary Nelson	Milford	Mo. Grafton
8	Robert Joseph Holland	Charles J. and Alma Nourse	Milford	Quincy
10	Norman Joseph Saucier	Wilfred A. and Josephine Ouellet	Greenville, N. H.	Fall River
10	Antonio Teixeira Macedo	Albino T. and Rose Martins Sera	Portugal	Portugal
11	Isabel Irene Wasniewsky	Samuel and Clementina Shenkowska	Poland	Poland
12	Lenore DeJoy	Andor and Pearl C. Sweet	Hungary	Providence, R. I.
12	Taekoohy Gagyayan	Kevark and Louisa Karagian	Armenia	Armenia
14	William Casey Holland	James J. and Elizabeth L. McCarthy	Milford	Woburn
14	Henry Joseph Holland	Henry J. and Lillian R. Birmingham	Milford	Milford
15	John Leslie Bemis	Ralph and Dorothy E. Wilson	Medway	Stamford, Conn.
15	Pearl Mary Glennon	George M. and Julia Sharkey	Milford	Providence, R. I.
15	Harold Mario Castiglioni	Edward and Rose Fiori	Providence, R. I.	Italy
16	Patricia Phillips	Frank and Carolyn Boyce	Medway	Princeton
16	Sidney Smith	Abraham and Sarah Moses	Poland	Roumania
17	Catherine Louise Schmitthenner	William C. and Catherine V. Clancy	Long Island, N. Y.	Milford
17	Rita DiMaggio	Biaggio and Rose Nardelli	Italy	Italy
17	Vaseo Adalgriso Brovelli	Carlo and Teresa Prestini	Italy	Italy
17	Peter Mazzini	Peter and Nellie Rossi	Italy	Italy
19	Ruth Virginia Lusignan	Felix and Catherine Hanifin	Southbridge	Italy
19	Teresa Mareolini	Carlo and Esther Minoli	Italy	Hopkinton
19	Donald Anderson Thomas	Frank D. and Elizabeth Anderson	Milford	Hallowell, Me.
20	Giuseppe Bombodieri	Salvatore and Antonette Donatelli	Italy	Waterford, Conn.
20	Antoinette Josephine Volpe	Lawrence and Mary Casasanta	Italy	Italy
22	Bruce Kemp Berryman	Bertrill W. and Rhoda K. Behrens	Italy	Italy
24	Alice Nobriga	Antonio S. and Maria A. Costa	Skowhegan, Me.	Worcester
24	Achille Diotalevi	Antonio and Luisa Lucearelli	Portugal	Portugal
25	Norma Frances St. George	William H. and Anna Welsh	Italy	Italy
25	Margaret Elizabeth Keith	William J. A. and Agnes M. Fraser	Brimfield	Framingham
26	Giuseppe Antonio DeNunzio	Michele and Grace Trotta	Cambridge	Newton
26	Wendell Richard Foster	Edward E. and Leota M. Folsom	Italy	Italy
26			Bangor, Me.	Boston

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MILFORD, 1925

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Names of Parents	Father's Birthplace	Mother's Birthplace
27	Vincent Narducci	Angelo and Anna Carracino	Boston	Italy
27	Concetta Mastroinni	Frank and Clara Andicola	Italy	Milford
27	Barbara Whitney	William E. and Ellic T. Wheeler	Wopedale	Mendon
27	Robert Saunders	Ashel and Ellen Bassett	Lynn	Ironwood, Mich.
28	James Hunter Emmons	Louis and Maie Hunter	Canada	Adams
28	Giuseppe Pavola Ciffizari	Michele and Andelina DeCosama	Italy	Italy
28	Doris Piteo	Louis and Emily Cenedella	Italy	Milford
30	Leon Reginald Liguore Cayer	Leon and Ida Dulude	Canada	Canada
APRIL				
1	Angelina Comastri	Frank and Josephine Nordica	Italy	Italy
1	Ernest A. Holmberg	Andrew and Mary Sawyer	Milford	Lowell
1	Andrew Nicholl	Charles and Daisy Street	Scotland	Scotland
1	John Ross Curran	John P. and Mary A. Ross	Wolliston	Boston
1	Agnes Marie Grenier	Arthur and Blanche Saunders	Uxbridge	Milford
2	Helen Curran	Edward J. and Alice P. Phillips	Milford	Milford
3	Vetrona Tieuli, Twin	Frank and Catherine Mastroletti	Italy	Italy
3	Antonio Tieuli, Twin	Frank and Catherine Mastroletti	Italy	Italy
3	Roger Houle	Arthur and Mary Louise Forest	Canada	Canada
2	Harris Frank Havner	J. Kelsey and Hazel Baker	Milford	Holliston
4	Antonio DaSilvia Estenes	Joaquin and Mariammina Silva	Portugal	Portugal
4	Virginia Clark	Clinton S. and Dora Woodward	Franklin	Franklin
4	Philip Cenedella	Alfred and Annie Borghi	Milford	Milford
5	Stillborn			
5	Palma DeLucca	Giuseppe and Gaetana Santis	Italy	Italy
7	Michael George Nolan	Michael and Margaret Tarpey	Ireland	Ireland
8	Wallace Frederick Hentschel	Walter and Blanche Boone	Brighton	Newfoundland
10	Anna Gloria Viola	Peter and Rose Iacuto	Italy	Italy
11	John Coniaris	Charles N. and Pota Kanteles	Greece	Greece
11	Rita Kathleen Hynes	Frank J. and Filomena Rizoli	Milford	Milford
11	Arline Ruth Rockwood	Harold and Carrie Agilvie	Ashland	Medfield
11	Rose Geraldine D'Antonio	Charles and Bertha Nelson	Italy	Milford
12	Tagoohy Florence Kondak	George and Virgine Sarafin	Armenia	Turkey
13	John Thomas Callahan, Jr.	John T. and Mary E. Harrington	Charlestown	Ireland
13	Lucia Angelina D'Antonio	Angelo and Antoinetta Marsiglia	Italy	Italy
14	Haig A. Germagian	Philip and Rosie Bedrosian	Armenia	Armenia
14	Wesley Louis Brown	Mernie G. and Louise A. Bouclin	Middlesex, Vt.	Woonsocket, R. I.
15	Gloria Marie Pallatroni	Louis J. and Maria G. Leoncini	Italy	Italy
17	Ernesto Andreano	John and Loretta Creasia	Italy	Italy

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MILFORD, 1925

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Names of Parents	Father's Birthplace	Mother's Birthplace
18	Helen DeLucca	Leo and Carina Brida	Italy	Italy
19	Angelina Coglianero	Fortunato and Frances M. Maressa	Italy	Italy
19	Leo Joseph Maroney	David J. and Delina Paille	Hopkinton	Canada
20	Liela Morena	Louis and Tereza DaSilvio	Portugal	Portugal
20	Frances Grillo	Antonio and Lena Calagione	Italy	Milford
21	Elwood John Evers, Jr.	Elwood J. and Stella Paquette	Bristol, R. I.	Nashua, N. H.
22	Josephine Cafferelli	Joseph and Maria Calzone	Italy	Italy
22	Josephine Galla	Leonardo and Maria Scala	Italy	Italy
22	Ruth Marie Comolli	Albert and Louise A. Coletti	Quincy	Gloucester
22	Virginia Steere Moore	Walter F. and Marion Steere	Hopedale	Providence, R. I.
24	Stillborn			
28	Victor Alfred Checchi	Victor and Teresa Basteri	Milford	Italy
28	Ida Souta	Manuel and Emma Cabeleira	Portugal	Portugal
29	Mary Bellevue	Max and Alice Bromley	North Creek, N. Y.	New York
30	Robert Fleming	Richard H. and Dorothy Sprague	Boston	New York, N. Y.
MAY				
1	Alice Josephine Rouleau	Edward J. and Georgene A. Weeks	Quincy	Milford
2	Michele Attacatta	Leonardo and Angelina Dicario	Italy	Italy
3	James Burrs	Leo J. and Margaret C. Kellett	Milford	Milford
4	Dorothy Louise Pugsley	Elmer and Ethel Kershaw	Upton	England
5	Dorothy M. Dalrymple	Anderson R. and Mary Malloy	Nova Scotia	Ireland
6	Filomena Petti	Leonardo and Mary Dicarnio	Italy	Italy
6	Wallace Hardison Collins, Jr.	Wallace H. and Marion Tarbox	Bradford, Penn.	Hopedale
6	Douglas Weston Seamone	Elverd and Hazel Maeder	Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia
7	Michele Lab, Ferrucci	Luigi and Mary Brurardi	Italy	Italy
8	Ocassio Fernandes	Francisco and Isabelle Sabina	Portugal	Portugal
9	Betsie Florence Jaseph	Walter W. and Rosalie Brown	Fitchburg	Roumania
10	James Timothy McGrath	William F. and Mary E. Clancy	Framingham	Milford
11	Florence Rosen	Isadore and Pauline Freeman	Russia	Russia
11	Harriet Helen Fincklestein	Coleman and Rose Rosen	Holliston	Russia
12	Stillborn			
12	Mary Irene Leola Demanche	Dunet and Aurore Bisvert	Canada	Canada
15	Mary Louise Hennessey	John F. and Mary A. Desmond	Milford	No. Bellingham
16	Robert Umberto Vasile	Earl and Grace Marinaccio	Italy	Italy
17	Elizabeth Isabelle Miller	Ernest F. and Florence I. McDonald	Rehobeth	Canada
17	Lester Joseph Vayo	Lester and Mildred Gammon	Uxbridge	Sutton
22	Charles Arthur Chapin	Arthur and Catherine O'Donnell	Providence, R. I.	Milford
22	John Best	James J. and Mary E. Carr	Mendon	Milford

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22	Thelma Carron	Peter B. and Christine Wood	Upton	Natick
23	Mary Floreçe Powers	John J. and Adele T. Colabello	Milford	Milford
23	Stillborn			
23	Michele DeSalvia	Michele and Jennie Costantino	Italy	Italy
24	Samuel Joseph Manguso	Rosario and Angelina D'Agostino	Italy	Italy
25	Michael Minnichelli	Michael and Susie Trongone	Italy	Italy
27	Antehone Anna Safis	Christos and Martha Spanos	Greece	Greece
28	Joan Theresa Smith	James F. and Josephine P. Lyons	Milford	Brooklyn, N. Y.
28	Robert Fitzpatrick	George M. and Mary E. Sheedy	Boston	Milford
29	Calogero Grillo	Nicholas and Sebastiana Corriera	Italy	Italy
29	Eric Francis Cameron	Albert C. and Violet Hawes	Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia
30	Leonora Tosches	Nicholas and Belle Janacci	Italy	Italy
30	Albertina Rabaca	Joas and Catarina Sousa	Portugal	Portugal
30	Raymond Joseph Lague	Wilfred J. and Clare Varricur	Milford	Harrisville, R. I.
JUNE				
1	Carl Eugene Hill	Earl and Ruth Andrews	Diamond Hill, R. I.	Medway
1	Alfred Dennis Perry	Fred and Lillian Gagnon	Russia	Bellingham
2	Charlotte Mary Foss	Richmond W. and Elizabeth Martin	Hancock, Me.	Upton
2	Dorothy Katherine Kellett	Albert and Catherine Victory	Milford	Blackstone
2	Richard Walton Botieri	Ernest R. and Elizabeth Lawlor	Plymouth	Plymouth
3	Francis Joseph Lucier	Emory and Alice M. Rousseau	Canada	Canada
3	Dora C. DeCesare	Paul and Mary DeNunzio	Italy	Italy
4	Mary Kathleen Blenus	Walter R. and Jean Foster	Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia
5	Margaret Anne Cullinan	George H. and Mary E. Higgins	Upton	Monson
5	Dorothy Louise Bell	Willis and Lillian Bosborough	Waltham	Ireland
6	Giovanni Virgilio Stefani	Peter and Mary Malatesta	Italy	Milford
6	Elvira Elizabeth Creasia	Joseph and Angelina Calzone	Italy	Italy
8	Walter Power	John F. and Mary McGilpin	Southbridge	Southbridge
10	Roy Everett Abrahamson	Charles H. and Elsie Lindgren	Sweden	Sweden
11	Charles Louis Bianchi	Joseph and Gisella Frascotti	Italy	Milford
11	Attilio Savelli, Jr.	Attilio and Mary Danelli	Italy	Italy
13	— Smith	Solomon and Bessie Milensky	Poland	Poland
14	Johanna Legge	Joseph and Marl Andreola	Italy	Italy
15	Leon E. DeGray	Earl and Ina Oman	Wisconsin	Rockport
15	Mary Virginia Roche	John E. and Mary A. Synon	Milford	Lonsdale, R. I.
16	Pasquale Berardi	Achille and Christina Attaratta	Italy	Italy
17	Annie Tomaso	Biaggio and Mary Liberto	Italy	Italy
17	Raymond Bradford Handy	Harold E. and Lillian Smith	England	Boston

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18	Joaquim Alves Carniero	Mantel A. and Jesuina Sebastio	Portugal	Portugal
18	Grace Palma	Joseph and Gaetana Berardi	Italy	Italy
18	Mary Jennette Caruso	John and Mary DePalma	Italy	Italy
18	Agnes Marie Gillam	William and Elizabeth Gately	England	Boston
21	Gaetano Bonina	Biagio and Bella Manguso	Italy	Milford
23	Charles Hickey (Twin)	John J. and Mary C. Sayles	New York, N. Y.	Woonsocket, R. I.
23	Claire H. Hickey (Twin)	John J. and Mary C. Sayles	New York, N. Y.	Woonsocket, R. I.
23	Helen Marie Clifford	Arthur and Helen Lane	Boston	Douglas
24	Nancy Alcarese	John and Teresa DeFelice	Italy	Italy
24	Stillborn			
25	Henry Clayton Papineau	Stephen J. and Gladys Millbury	Spencer	Nova Scotia
25	Clarence George Morin	George and Alice Perry	Canada	Canada
28	Matilda June Marino	Masse and Livia M. Marino	Italy	Italy
28	Eleanor Keefe	Arthur A. and Lillian S., Sullivan	Bellingham	Franklin
29	Henry Augustus Webster	Arthur J. and Helen G. Bird	Worcester	Milford
30	Enott Gunnar Helsing	Gunwald and Hildur Nyholm	Sweden	Sweden
JULY				
1	Ernest Leroy Kempton, Jr.	Ernest L. and Alcie G. Barrows	Milford	Hopedale
2	Michele Stoico	Michele and Francesca Berandi	Italy	Italy
4	Dominick Perrone	Joseph and Mary Rossetti	Italy	Italy
5	Elizabeth Jane Bakr	Clifford and Elizabeth Carey	Hudson	Holliston
5	Josepha Ulinda Almeida	Jose P. and Isanna Teixeira	Portugal	Portugal
5	Dorothy Eloise Page	Ernest and Helen Hoyt	Canada	New Brunswick
5	Stillborn			
6	Joseph Federico, Jr.	Joseph and Santa Ciccolella	Italy	Italy
7	Julia Figuero	Joseph and Mary Almeida	Portugal	Portugal
8	Edward Ernest Canel	Toby and Rose Venanti	Austria	Austria
8	Mary Travers Grady	Maurice W. and Catherine Travers	Milford	Boston
9	John Andreano	Clement and Mary DiOrto	Italy	Rosetto, Pa.
9	Konkar Ohanlian	Make and Agnes Danorgian	Armenia	Armenia
10	Mary Saunicandro	Matthew and Mary Carrabba	Italy	Italy
11	Joseph Ackerman, Jr.	Joseph and Jennie King	Milford	Russia
11	Andonetta Maria DiGregorio	Joseph and Mary Guadagnoli	Italy	Italy
11	Antonio Simoes Duarte	Jose S. and Olinda J. Duarte	Portugal	Portugal
12	John Tosti	Umberto and Mary Andreola	Italy	Italy
13	Dorothy Mae Wellman	Ernest and Hazel Houghton	Chepatchet, R. I.	Upton
15	Carl Vernon Strout	Carl and Carmen M. Kemp	Haverhill	Webster
15	Dorothy Madeline Stanley	John H. and Ethel V. Huskins	Austria	Nova Scotia

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15	Stillborn			
15	Harry Prescott Pugsley	Harry P. and Florence Bagley	Nova Scotia	Milford
15	Helene Pauline Kaczowka	John and Catherine Mallis	Poland	Poland
16	Vincenzo Ferrelli	Carmine and Ada Mucci	Milford	Italy
16	Helen Etta Brown	Burton G. and Ethel Alexander	Mendon	Upton
20	Anibale Alfonso	Vincent and Aurora Gomas	Portugal	Portugal
21	Laura Lucy Dota	Frank and Mary Rosacci	Italy	Italy
22	Marguerite DiPaolo	Stephen G. and Caroline G. Dow	Fitchburg	Medfield
22	Mary Ann Capuzziello	Gaetano and Filomena Ciofizzi	Italy	Italy
24	Michael Antonio DePalma	Luigi and Palma Parente	Italy	Italy
26	Mario D'Almeida Martins Ferriera	Henriqus and Angelina Couto	Portugal	Portugal
26	Joseph Louis Marzetta	Luigi and Luigia Brughioi	Italy	Milford
26	Charles Alfred Wright, Jr.	Charles A. and Alice R. Hutchinson	New Bedford	Central Falls, R. I.
26	Michael DeMatteis	Salvatore and Emilia Corchioielli	Italy	Italy
27	Philip Ceremicolli	Urbano and Annie Donini	Italy	Italy
27	Sebastian Ciccarelli	Thomas and Angelina Marelli	Italy	Italy
27	Alice Stein	Harry and Pearl Gittel	Russia	Russia
28	Anna Werber	Max G. and Minnie Kurlansky	Russia	Montreal, Can.
28	Raymond Chester Streeter	Nathan R. and Edna L. Robinson	Northbridge	No. Attleboro
29	Nazerino Bacci	Nazerino and Caesarina Senelli	Italy	Italy
30	William Richard Grillo	Richard and Eva Sanderson	Italy	Nova Scotia
30	Josephine Mele	Joseph and Maria Gala	Italy	Italy
31	Grazia Berardi	Angelo and Maria DeSantis	Italy	Italy
31	Robert Emery MacDonald	Robert and Hazel Seamon	Lynn	Saco, Me.
31	Frank William Rando	Antonio and Antoinette DiPaolo	Italy	Clinton
AUGUST				
1	Frances Rozella Smith	Sherman K. and Parthenia Von Osthoff	Indiana	Ohio
4	Bunadette Melansen	Walter and Catherine Nelligan	Lynn	Milford
1	Joseph Paietta Murray	Joseph P. and Isolene Marie Paietta	Milford	Milford
5	Barbara Summers	William and Mary E. VanRipper	Newark, N. J.	Uxbridge
6	Alice Marie Anastas	George and Mildred Garrup	Turkey	St Albans, Vt.
8	Lorenzo Elisio DiVitto	Paul and Elizabeth Marcone	Italy	Italy
8	John Stuart Washburn	John and Ruth Holmes	Plymouth	Plymouth
9	Frances Stephenia Rao	Charles and Emma Alzarini	Italy	Milford
9	Francis Kramer	Jordon and Ida Youngsma	Holland	Holland
10	Barbara Niro	Matteo and Margaret M. Roberti	Italy	Milford
11	John Irving Brown	Fred and Emily Burligame	Woonsocket, R. I.	Blackstone

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12	Alfonse Paul Sanclemente	Alfonse and Antoinette Luisetti	Milford	Milford
12	Luigi Sanecandro	Albert and Pierina Mangini	Italy	Italy
12	Clayton Earl Wright, Jr.	Clayton E. and Therese Rogers	Hopedale	Nova Scotia
12	Martin H. Cahill	Joseph E. and Josephine M. Constantino	Milford	Milford
14	Donald Joseph Story	John and Irene Russell	Scotland	Uxbridge
14	Pierina Rosetti	Pietro and Amelia Santini	Italy	Italy
15	Dora Moffio	Michele and Maria Pettenatti	Italy	Italy
16	Stillborn			
16	John Vose Blanchard	Louis and Jane Clafin	Sterling	Hopkinton
19	Margherita Carmella Ferraro	Antonio and Mary Andreano	Italy	Italy
19	Marina Zaiato	Stephen and Mary Tehoskos	Russia	Poland
21	Caroline Muriel Grayson	Raymond H. and Gladys M. Burnett	Milford	N. B.
22	Elaine Lucille Pickering	Elmo and Lillian Corbett	Milford	Medway
22	Franklin Page Phipps	Nathan B. and Bertha F. Phipps	Hopkinton	Hopkinton
22	Julia Matthias	Arnold and Rose Dena	Portugal	New York, N. Y.
23	Avis Elaine McKinley	Arthur W. and Effie McDonald	Nova Scotia	Cape Breton
23	Filomena Maria Colavito	Michael and Mary DeFillipis	Italy	Italy
25	Lloyd Ambrose Graves	Wellman A. and Evelyn S. Wrinn	Beltingham	Nova Scotia
26	Helen Dugan	William A. and Marguerite A. Fahey	Woonsocket, R. I.	Milford
26	Martha Helen Frye	Charles S. and Marie Hughes	Peoria, Ill.	Philadelphia, Pa.
27	Leola Mae Dunton	Edwin H. and Leola Leighton	Wrentham	Lubec, Me.
28	Lois Elsie Peterson	Theodore G. and Aseneth L. Moore	Wrentham	Oxford
30	Claire Agnes Smith	George J. and Elizabeth Small	Medway	Millis
31	Walter Edward Blackwood	Neil C. and Georgianna Pilon	Pembroke, Me.	Newton, N. H.
31	John Mazzone	Horace and Rose Genoa	Italy	Franklin
31	Joseph Gulino	Mario and Louise Grillo	Italy	Italy
SEPTEMBER				
3	Ruth Lawrence Beehler	Howard L. and Mildred L. Lawrence	Indiana	Waltham
4	Elizabeth Rose Fino	Antonio and Filomena DeCiero	Italy	Italy
4	John Mareel Sirard Venzina	Frank and Cecelia Boisvert	Canada	Canada
4	Maria Carmella Iacovelli	Pasquale and Mary Mosehilli	Italy	Italy
4	Lillian Catherine Beaudian	Docithe and Angelina Gareri	Canada	Boston
6	Ambrose Feeney	Ambrose and Mary F. Kelley	Slatersville, R. I.	Providence, R. I.
6	John Harvey Pyke	David and Gladys L. Beaudry	Nova Scotia	Providence, R. I.
6	Gloria Mary Gildone	Emilio and Lucy Mandes	Italy	Italy
7	Lorriane Celozzi	Peter and Margaret Miller	Italy	Milford
7	Mary Homand	Augustine L. and Amelia E. Pantano	Canada	Italy
8	Stillborn			

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8	David Henry Locarno	Peter and Sadie Pinardi	Italy	Milford
9	John Niro	Frank and Rose Tomassini	Italy	Milford
9	— Newcomb	George W. and Mary C. Riley	Franklin	Franklin
6	Charles Tomaso, Jr.	Charles and Teresa Ferrante	Italy	Italy
10	Jeanne Ruth Lipson	Jacob and Sarah Deitch	Russia	Russia
11	Elroy William Johnson	Perley S. and Mary F. Fitzgerald	Waldoboro, Me.	Milford
11	Michael Silvio DiDonato	Silvio and Mary Mazzarelli	Italy	Milford
11	Stillborn			
11	Albo Vitali	Philip and Anna Sorcinelli	Italy	Italy
12	William James Simpson	Leon and Mary Gillespie	Franklin	Wrentham
12	Antonio Nardo	Michele and Lucia Iataroca	Italy	Italy
12	Elinor Mary Beltrame	Henry and Mary Bega	Milford	Wellesley
13	Gordon Allan MacLean	Neil and Sadie Allen	Nova Scotia	Scotland
14	Eunice Marian Aldrich	Ernest A. and Ethel C. Wenzell	Bellingham	Bellingham
14	Graham Alton Usher	John and Marion Metcalf	Upton	Milford
15	Manuel R. Pereira	Manuel and Maria Assunjeao	Portugal	Portugal
16	Harry Raymond Grant	Henry S. and Margaret S. Booth	Scotland	Scotland
17	Augustine Paventi	Michael and Louise Andreola	Italy	Italy
17	Jean Elizabeth Whitney	Wilfred W. and Inez Wood	Hopedale	Upton
17	Quinto Luigi Allegrazzi	Joseph and Vilelma Beldelni	Italy	Italy
10	Michael O'Connell	Michael and Annie M. Norton	Ireland	Ireland
20	Annie Carlean Peters	Goodsill and Annie Seay	Worcester	Scotland
21	Attilio Petrinelli	Paul and Maria Bulso	Italy	Italy
22	Alice Rita Hayes	Daniel R. and Albina M. Guertin	Milford	Uxbridge
22	Mary DeFonza	Gaetano and Donata Delizio	Italy	Italy
22	Rita Barlow	William H. and Mary L. McAuliff	Milford	Italy
23	Margaret Emma Woodman	Wilbur and Eva Gardner	Providence, R. I.	Milford
23	John Vincent Gallagher, Jr.	John Vincent and Ella Josephine Conrick	Medway	Franklin
23	Amalia Grasso	Domenico and Assunta Tocci	Italy	Westwood
24	Mary Virginia Gallagher	John H. and Marion A. Dalrymple	Italy	Italy
24	Aurora Tusoni	Michele and Anita Bonvino	Medway	Milford
24	Stillborn		Italy	Italy
25	Arthur Warren Johnson, Jr.	Arthur W. and E. Viola LeBeau	Milford	Nova Scotia
25	Irania Fernandes	Jose Pedro and Laurinda Mendes	Portugal	Portugal
26	Joseph Fabian Giroux	Joseph and Juliet Brunnell	Worcester	Worcester
27	Robert Earl Trevett	Earl H. and Grace Morse	Milford	Holliston
27	Helen Irena Cervone	James V. and Margaret E. Clossick	Italy	Ireland
27	Jennie Marsiglia	Michele and Josephine Verelli	Italy	Italy

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28	Ruth Eileen Kearney	Michael J. and Mary E. McCarthy	Massachusetts	Mass.
29	Antonio Constantino Morgado	Antonio F. and Maria Matividade	Portugal	Portugal
29	Stillborn			
30	Theresa Mary Kavanagh	John H. and Margaret M. McDonough	Milford	Milford
29	Alice Frances Adams	Ferdinand S. and Ruth A. Ames	Portland, Me.	Boston
OCTOBER				
1	Stillborn			
1	James Wickel	James H. and Mary E. Battles	Philadelphia, Pa.	Milford
2	Marion Elizabeth Hewson	William J. and Avis Batten	Boston	Milford
3	Stillborn			
4	Perry Hunter Henderson	Alfred P. and Doris I. Hunter	Littleton, N. H.	Milford
4	Alice Dosantos Saboeiro	Anibal and Amandos Teixeira	Portugal	Portugal
5	William Ronald Kennelly	John R. and Mary Kelliher	Bellingham	Bellingham
5	Helen Frances McCarthy	John and Anna O'Leary	Worcester	Worcester
6	Richard Malcolm Osborne	Wynville C. and Grace W. Pearson	Worcester	Chelsea
6	Angelo Ambrose Mazzuchelli	Augusto and Mary Pichretti	Italy	Italy
6	Walter Augusto Carbone	Augusto and Edith Restelli	Italy	Italy
6	Mary Louise Lavoie	Fred A. and Elizabeth O'Neil	Italy	Quincy
6	Christina Rose Main	John and Christina G. Ross	Boston	Lynn
7	Johanna Kolenda	Vartaw and Mary Balckus	Scotland	Scotland
7	Annie Murphy	Ester and Mary Flavin	Poland	Poland
8	Jeanette Elizabeth Andrews	Fred E. and Ida H. Fraser	Norfolk	Cambridge
9	Joseph Graziano	Vincent and Adele Dalmonde	Medway	Nova Scotia
9	Marjorie Florence Eckles	Thomas and Lillian Jones	Italy	Milford
10	Howard William Topham	Marie M. and Frances Pearson	Boston	England
10	Veranooke Barsanian	Stephen and Altoon Barsanian	Summersworth, N. H.	Canton
11	Marguerite Mary Grant	William and Anna M. Hoard	Armenia	Armenia
13	John Carroll Dewing	Carroll B. and Helena A. Flynn	Uxbridge	Uxbridge
13	Mihran Matellian	Kachig and Mary Matellian	Milford	Milford
13	Beverly Ruth Flint	Harold H. and Rita Orndoff	Turkey	Turkey
13	Geneva O'Brien	John and Alma E. Trudeau	Manchester, N. H.	Virginia
15	Helen Irene Kassetta	Joseph and Lena Montani	Providence, R. I.	Northbridge
16	Robert Edward O'Brien	Thomas J. and Isabelle C. Collins	Milford	Mendon
17	Egidio Attilio Rovedo	John and Santina Maine	Milford	Newport, R. I.
17	Katherine Louise Moore	John C. and Anna Carter	Italy	Italy
18	Helen Claire Hutchinson	George H. and Helen Boulanger	Bellingham	Nova Scotia
18	Rita Anna Guidotti	Ralph and Lena Galeni	Franklin	Franklin
18	Kenneth William Godere	William G. and Lula H. Howe	Italy	Italy
			Gardner	Gardner

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18	Eurico Nogueira	John and Erminda Pires	Portugal	Portugal
19	Theresa Marguerite Moroney	Thomas F. and Florence M. Martin	Upton	Upton
19	Antonio Luigi Maietta	Michele and Lucia Ferrucci	Italy	Italy
19	Stillborn			
19	Stillborn			
21	David Lee Ammen	Irvin G. and Jeanne Butterworth	Snowville, Va.	Milford
22	Laura DeJesus Dias	Joaquin and Maria DeJesus	Portugal	Portugal
24	Theodora Patricia Tosches	Joseph and Louisa Tusoni	Italy	Milford
24	James Read Kimball, Jr.	James Read and Rose Sonne	Milford	Milford
27	Michael Aquafresqua, Jr.	Michael and Fortuna Balsoma	Italy	Italy
28	Eugene Louis Perna	Antonio and Rose Tosches	Italy	Italy
29	Alice Teresa Buckley	William F. and Agnes Cody	Norfolk	Franklin
29	Frank Creasia	Nicolas and Antonette Angelora	Italy	Italy
29	Stillborn			
31	Sisto Luzietti	Temistocle and Rose Obdurini	Italy	Italy
26	Richard Leonard Cutaio	Antonio and Dorothy V. Shackleton	Italy	England
NOVEMBER				
1	Cora Louise Gaffney	Charles M. and Agnes Green	Hopedale	W. Medway
1	Michele Carabba	Antonio and Teresa Berardi	Italy	Italy
1	Rose Arcudi	Giuseppe and Maria Vasile	Italy	Italy
3	Regina Elizabeth White	Fred W. and Olga E. Johnson	Woonsocket, R. I.	Sweden
3	Hugh Craddock	Frank J. and Leah Bradbury	Hopedale	Ashton, R. I.
4	John Michael Collins	Francis and Agnes Gateley	Sherborn	Charlestown
4	Walter True Fay	Florace D. and Annie True	Sutton	Danbury, Conn.
4	Edwardo Montey	Joseph and Mary Gones	Italy	Italy
4	Frederick Malcolm Carlson	John H. and Mabel A. Johnson	F. Douglas	Framingham
6	Louis Faenza	Alessandro and Cotilda Nardini	Italy	Italy
6	Mary Grillo	Salvatore and Louise Grillo	Italy	Italy
6	Warren Alba Campbell	Warren M. and Maude E. Albee	Southbridge	Sutton
6	Rose Marie Iadarola	James and Carolina Falcone	Italy	Italy
6	Daniel Michael Budzinski	Frank and Eleanor Aboncyuk	Poland	Poland
7	Pasquale Creasia	Nicolas and Maria Torca	Italy	Italy
7	Michele DiGenaro	Cesmo and Vincenza Sollicita	Italy	Italy
8	George Wallace Gould	Webster S. and Ethel Rockwood	Woburn	Somerville
9	Raymond Donahue	William F. and Brigitta H. Victory	Milford	Blackstone
11	Ardasshess Y. Krikorian	Krikor and Alice Aprekanian	Armenia	Armenia
11	John Antonio Maffioli	Joseph and Henrietta Carnevoli	Italy	Italy
14	Robert Francis LaFreniere	J. Robert and Mary A. Sullivan	Medford	Milford

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15	Rose Marie DiAntonio	Antonio and Emma Gubana	Italy	Milford, Mass.
17	Henry Joseph Sockbeson, Jr.	Henry J. and Lena White	Oldtown, Me.	Oldtown, Me.
18	Norina Lancisi	Louis M. and Amelia M. Longo	Quincy	Italy
18	Angelo John Ferrucci	John and Anita Tosches	Italy	Italy
19	Alice Simpson	Kenneth A. and Eleanor Donham	Burlington, Vt.	Bridgeport, Ct.
19	William McMahon	Joseph M. and Mary Agnes Conrick	Millis	Westwood
20	Josephine Bonini	Thomas and Sarah Purpera	Italy	Italy
20	Dorothy Gertrude Manion	Bernard M. and Catherine A. Byrne	Milford	Marlboro
21	Eulalia Madeline Murphy	D. Leo and Eulalia M. Bell	Hopkinton	Norwood
22	Stillborn			
22	Charles Russell Strobeck	John C. and Bertha J. Johnson	Cambridge	Uxbridge
23	Vincent Alfred D'Agnese	Alfred and Christina D'Agostino	Fitchburg	Cummerville, Pa.
23	Thomas Coles Hall	Harold C. and Geneva Cummings	Boston	Natick
25	— Robinson	Arthur and Stella M. Henry	Mendon	Mendon
25	Arlindo Mourao	Manuel and Maria Simao	Portugal	Portugal
26	Robert Edward Sullivan	George L. and Esther M. Moran	Hyde Park	Hopkinton
26	William Francis O'Donnell	William and Agnes Paul	Blackstone	Franklin
27	Paul Whitney Cooley	Joseph W. and Esther Whitney	Upton	Upton
27	Josephine Pitasi	Joseph and Antoniette Scro	Italy	Italy
28	Aurelio Matos	Antonio and Maria Conceo	Portugal	Portugal
29	Lyman Edgar Hazard	Richard and Anna O'Donnell	Northbridge	Milford
29	Grace Lumina Cook	Harland E. and Laura A. E. Cole	Bellingham	Littleton, N. H.
30	Jean Frances Clairidge	Fred W. and Eleanor Lilley	Woburn	Milford
30	Esther Ferman	Irving and Sarah Bedney	Russia	Russia
DECEMBER				
1	Evelyn Marie Bucchino	Pasquale and Teresa Vasile	Italy	Italy
2	Emanuela Lucia Cifizzari	Luigi and Ida Spensiere	Italy	Italy
3	Francis Kearns Allen	John J. and Katherine Kearns	Bellingham	Franklin
4	Helen Blanche Rockwood	Everett V. and Edna B. Meserve	Bellingham	Gorham, Me.
4	Joan Bertha Jackson	Joseph B. and Bertha M. Austin	Fall River	Milford
4	Austin Chilson Buchanan	Martin L. and Grace L. E. Chilson	Franklin	Franklin
5	John Santucci	Carlo and Maria Maestra	Italy	Italy
5	Richard Rhodes Wilton	Stanley M. and Sarah Lane	W. Tisdale	Hampton, N. B.
6	Calvin Warren Dickson	George A. and Lillian N. Remick	Key, N. H.	Farmington, Me.
7	Angelina Pontonio	Savino and Rosa Ricardi	Italy	Italy
9	Elena Scuderi	Luigi and Marietta Tocci	Italy	Italy
11	Richard Comstock Drown	Harlow H. and Myrtle Desire	Newport, Vt.	Center Village, Conn.
11	Rita Louise Connoni	John and Cesira Magnani	Italy	Milford

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MILFORD, 1925

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Names of Parents	Father's Birthplace	Mother's Birthplace
12	Elmore Virginia Hurl	Joseph B. and Alice Killeen	Laconia, N. H.	Boston
12	Lucia Assunta Femino	Pellegrino and Giovannina Benzulli	Italy	Italy
12	Talna Catella	Alessandro and Francesca Brogini	Italy	Italy
13	Ellen Stevenson	John and Edith Freeman	Scotland	Scotland
12	Dorothy Regina Pantano	Ignio and Gladys E. Bruce	Italy	Medway
13	Alfred James Murphy	Louis and Nellie Vernic	Italy	Italy
13	Gloria Comolli (Twin)	William and Rose Guerra	Quincy	Milford
13	Priscilla Comolli (Twin)	William and Rose Guerra	Quincy	Milford
15	Albin Elmer Larson	Elmer E. and Esther DiDonato	Milford	Italy
16	Sadie Evelyn Riedle	Oscar J. and Jennie Robson	Canada	England
17	Margaret Luchini	Pasquale and Anna E. Carey	Italy	Milford
18	Edward Lawrence Tarca	John and Susie Moredio	Italy	Milford
19	Geraldine McLaughlin	Austin and Sarah Sara	Princeton, Me.	Stony Creek, Conn.
20	Rita Morgan	Alfred S. and Mary A. Moriarty	Framingham,	Milford
20	Corrine Winstien	David M. and Miriam R. Rosenthal	Roston	New York, N. Y.
21	Luigi Maietta	Emilio and Mary Ferrucci	Italy	Italy
21	Aubrey Marshall Hensel	William and Wilhelmina Allen	New York, N. Y.	Milford
22	Baldassaro Porzio	John and Teresa Cristella	Italy	Italy
24	Helen Hannigan	John P. and Mary E. Seghezzi	Milford	Italy
25	— Ober	Francis and Anna Holland	Bellingham	Milford
25	Rita Grace Ferris	George and Gertrude H. Best	Mendon	Milford
26	Mary Leonora Palma	Michele and Angie Bergantini	Italy	Italy
28	Robert Thomas Ross	James C. and Margaret Costello	Worcester	Boston
31	Eleanor Esther Hixon	William C. and Marguerite E. Moore	Milford	Proctor, Vt.
MAY 11	Joseph Leon Von Flatern, Jr.	Joseph L. and Julia J. Kane	Blackstone	Bellingham
JULY 16	Bernice Louise Griffith	Herbert J. and Dorothy Green Webster	Milford	Milford
AUGUST 5	Richard Phillips	Wendell T. and Eva M. Smith	Milford	Milford
JUNE 26	Harry Darling Coburn	Frank and Ethel E. Sabin	Southbridge	Wayland

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MILFORD, 1925

Date	Name	Residence	Age	Marriage	By Whom Married
Jan. 3	Vincent Alfonso Aurora (Gomes) Gonsalves	Milford	40	2nd	Charles W. Gould Justice of the Peace
5	Joseph Henry Cote Sarah Dorothy Moran	Milford Hopedale	27 21	1st 1st	Rev. James J. Fitzgibbon
5	Ferdinand Louis Belmore Clara Maria DiDonato	Milford Milford	26 22	1st 1st	Rev. Emilio Baretella
17	Antonio Cutaio Dorothy Violet Shackleton	Milford	33	2nd	Charles W. Gould Justice of the Peace
27	Domenico Trischetti Antonina Iallo	Milford Milford	18 55	1st 1st	Charles W. Gould Justice of the Peace
25	Antonio Rendo Antoinette DiPaolo	Milford Milford	45 32	1st 1st	Rev. Emilio Baretella
29	Michael Albert McDonough	Milford	22	1st	
	Exelia Edith Munyon	N. Smithfield, R. I.	27	1st	Rev. Jeremiah A. Riordan
Feb. 5	Temistaele Luzietti Rose Arduinai	Milford Framingham	21 25	1st 1st	Charles W. Gould Justice of the Peace
12	John Henry Gallagher Marion A. Dalrymple	Milford Milford	25 26	1st 1st	Rev. Leo T. Rock
16	Joseph Anthony Solano Mary Elvira Mazzarelli	New York Milford	28 24	1st 1st	Rev. Louis Fontana
21	Peter Celozzi Margaret Mary Miller	Milford Milford	24 21	1st 1st	Rev. Jeremiah A. Riordan
21	Mihran Barsamian Antaram Manoogian	Milford Milford	22 19	1st 1st	Rev. Harry F. Fister
28	Elmer Clyde Nelson Mildred Irene Haven	Milford Milford	24 21	1st 1st	Rev. Joseph Belcher
Mar. 7	Thomas Scarpelli Lena Laurelli	Cambridge Milford	27 21	1st 1st	Rev. Emilio Baretella
11	Francis Ellis Daniels Mary J. (Adams) Darling	Hopedale Hopedale	74 66	2nd 2nd	Rev. Joseph Belcher
28	Antonio Andreano Grace Irene Hanifin	Framingham Milford	35 31	2nd 1st	Charles W. Gould Justice of the Peace
April 5	Clarence Jackman Hutchings	Watertown	22	1st	Rev. Louis W. West
	Mary Edna Weller	Natick	21	1st	
11	Herbert James Griffith Dorothy Greene Webster	Milford Milford	20 17	1st 1st	Charles W. Gould Justice of the Peace
13	Timothy William Hannigan, Jr.	Milford	28	1st	Rev. S. Giuliet
	Esther Mary Whitney	Grafton	23	1st	Grafton
13	Joquin Dias Maria DeJesus	Milford Milford	22 22	1st 1st	Rev. Jeremiah A. Riordan
14	Matteo Pagenelli Nellie Salvia	Milford Milford	28 20	1st 1st	Rev. Emilio Baretella
16	Hanson Leroy Craddock Annie Cooper	Mendon Mendon	23 24	1st 1st	Rev. Joseph Belcher
17	W. Fred Mitchell Doris Irene Ashby	Milford Central Falls, R. I.	28 24	1st 1st	Rev. Henry K. Speniel Boston
18	Lewis Wilson Norton Alice Cole Blackler	Milford Milford	49 45	2nd 1st	Rev. Reginald Pearce Framingham
18	Harry Edwin Ettinger Amie (Burlingame) Servis	Milford Milford	39 37	1st 2nd	Rev. Allen Cross
19	Thomas Manguso Lena Eleanore Rossetti	Milford Milford	28 19	1st 1st	Rev. Emilio Baretella
20	Antonio DeCicco Rose Mary Lument	Framingham Milford	26 26	1st 1st	Rev. Louis Fontana
21	Frank Edward Barry Theo Florence Sarsfield	Milford Springfield	31 29	1st 1st	Rev. George P. Murphy Springfield
22	John Francis Nugent Helen Alice Logee	Milford Milford	29 26	1st 1st	Rev. Jeremiah A. Riordan
26	George Innes King Bridget Theresa Meagher	Milford Milford	44 36	1st 1st	Rev. Jeremiah A. Riordan

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	26 Matthew Celozzi	Milford	24	1st	Rev. Emilio Baretella
	Mary Margaret Visconti	Milford	22	1st	
	26 Hovsep Derderian	Milford	28	1st	Rev. Khorca Luzarian
	Rose Bayramshian	Millis	17	1st	Boston
	27 Enrico Zanchetti	Northbridge	31	1st	Rev. Emilio Baretella
	Mary Emma Morcone	Milford	28	1st	
	27 John Lazarus Negrotti	Hopedale	23	1st	Rev. Louis Fontant
	Anna Della Sherillo	Milford	22	1st	
	27 George Alfred Daniels	Milford	21	1st	Rev. Thomas V. Cassidy
	Agnes Genevieve Walsh	Woonsocket, R. I.	21	1st	Woonsocket, R. I.
	27 Edward James Kilkenny	Mendon	31	1st	Rev. Jeremiah A. Riordan
	Sadie Christina Gorman	Milford	20	1st	
	26 James Edward O'Neill	Milford	23	1st	Rev. Thomas B. Lowney
	Mary Ann Marino	Marlboro	21	1st	Marlboro
May	3 Antonio Villani	Milford	30	1st	Rev. Emilio Baretella
	Jennie DeCesare	Milford	20	1st	
	3 Anthony Thomas Toppa	Middleton, R. I.	22	1st	Rev. Louis Fontana
	Bertha Mary Leo	Milford	20	1st	
	4 Joseph Macchi	Milford	21	1st	Rev. Emilio Baretella
	Teresa DiPaolo	Milford	18	1st	
	4 Nicholas Costrino	Milford	42	3rd	Rev. Pietro Maschi
	Filomena (Mazzone)				Framingham
	Ioniro	Framingham	47	2nd	
	4 J. A. Edward Langlais	Hartford, Conn.	21	1st	Rev. Jeremiah A. Riordan
	Helen Teresa O'Connell	Hopedale	23	1st	
	4 Clarence George Pearson	Milford	19	1st	Rev. Allen E. Cross
	Geneva Christine Goulding	Milford	22	1st	
	7 Joseph William Cosetta	Milford	21	1st	Rev. Louis Fontana
	Lena Irene Montani	Milford	19	1st	
	23 Milton Franklin Doxey	Hopedale	29	1st	Rev. Allen E. Cross
	Hilda Natalie Anderson	Milford	27	1st	
	23 Joseph Ackerman	Milford	18	1st	Rev. Jeremiah A. Riordan
	Jennie Veronica King	Hopedale	18	1st	
	31 Vincenzo Norcia	Milford	27	1st	Rev. Emilio Baretel'a
	Jeanie Celozzi	Milford	18	1st	
June	1 Frank Cervone	Milford	38	1st	Rev. Louis Fontana
	Virginia Rose Sanclemente	Milford	28	1st	
	1 Elmer Ernest Larson	Milford	22	1st	Charles W. Gould
	Celestina DiDonato	Milford	20	1st	Justice of the Peace
	1 William Clarence Blaisdell	Milford	22	1st	Rev. John P. Donahue
	Irene Frances Morgan	Milford	19	1st	
	1 Angelo Charles Bernardi	Milford	27	1st	Rev. Leo T. Rock
	Alice Frances Maroney	Milford	27	1st	
	2 Lewis Harold Gilbert	Malden	26	1st	N. Fletcher, Rabbi
	Celia Earlene Kulwinsky	Milford	22	1st	
	6 Harold Eben Gilmore	Milford	24	1st	Rev. Joseph Belcher
	Doris Annette Binney	Milford	24	1st	
	7 Samuel Barsarnian	Milford	21	1st	Rev. Atig Dzotahian
	Rose Mazmanian	Milford	18	1st	Worcester
	8 Albert Francis White	Milford	24	2nd	Rev. Vernon H. Deming
	Christine Gerrish Neally	Hopedale	24	1st	Hopedale
	10 Thomas Francis Malloy	Milford	27	1st	Rev. Leo T. Rock
	Elizabeth Agnes Revette	Milford	26	1st	
	10 Edward Clarence Newton	Upton	25	1st	Rev. William G. Poor
	Marion Christine Huff	Milford	22	1st	Upton
	10 William Harris	Milford	31	1st	Nuhim Belskey, Rabbi
	Gertrude Berezin	Philadelphia, Pa.	22	1st	Philadelphia, Pa.
	11 George David Davis	Hopedale	26	1st	Rev. Leo T. Rock
	Katherine Agnes Kelley	Halifax, N. S.	27	1st	
	14 Benjamin Berul Gordon	Detroit, Mich.	28	1st	Nathan Fletcher, Rabbi
	Gertrude Florence Kirsner	Milford	21	1st	

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	15 Albert Louis Gritti	Hopedale	21	1st	Rev. Emilio Baretella
	Jennie Helena Carini	Milford	21	1st	
	15 Russell Thurston Shay	Boston	28	1st	Rev. Jeremiah A. Riordan
	Cecelia T. Martin	Hopedale	24	1st	
	15 Albert William Clarke	Milford	19	1st	J. Frank Phipps, J. P.
	Flora McNeil	Hopkinton	18	1st	Hopkinton
	20 Arthur Joseph Curley	Milford	33	1st	Rev. Leo T. Rock
	Dorothy Frances Sanderson	Milford	23	1st	
	20 Ernest James Gibson	Hopedale	24	1st	Rev. Joseph Belcher
	Winifred Margaret Wilson	Milford	22	1st	
	22 Edward Leo Grady	Uxbridge	26	1st	Rev. Jeremiah A. Riordan
	Martina Walsh Barry	Mendon	22	1st	
	24 John Samuel Henry	Hopedale	68	2nd	Rev. Louis W. West
	Sarah Jane Bottomley	Milford	57	1st	
	24 Henry Eugene Edmands	Milford	34	1st	Rev. Joseph Belcher
	Helen Hart Bragg	Milford	32	1st	
	27 Robert Wilcox Taft	Uxbridge	21	1st	Rev. Harry F. Fister
	Evelyn Phipps Saunders	Milford	20	1st	
	27 Andrew Edward Seastron	Milford	24	1st	Rev. George Burgess
	Elizabeth Ruth Erickson	Milford	20	1st	
	27 Walter Bradford Doane	Milford	23	1st	Rev. Albert L. O'Brien
	Hilma Sophia Hanson	Westford	25	1st	Graniteville
	27 Elias Joseph Zuke	Franklin	32	1st	Charles W. Gould
	Catherine (Gorda) Wolcotroob	Franklin	32	2nd	Justice of the Peace
	28 Nicolas Tomaini	Milford	19	1st	Rev. Louis Fontana
	Susie Maffia	Milford	17	1st	
	29 Frank Daniel Ryan	Worcester	28	1st	Rev. Jeremiah A. Riordan
	Elizabeth Louise Cahill	Milford	23	1st	
	30 Charles Louis Fuller	Milford	48	2nd	Rev. Allen E. Cross
	Mary Louise Evers	Milford	35	1st	
July	3 Lawrence Hanscom Peavy	Milford	20	1st	Rev. Louis W. West
	Helen Eunice Smith	Milford	21	1st	
	11 John Stack	No. Attleboro	24	1st	Rev. Louis W. West
	Grace Edna Dyer	No. Attleboro	19	1st	
	11 Americo Louis Egizi	W. Quincy	24	1st	Rev. Louis Fontana
	Florence Ellen Shuber	Upton	18	1st	
	15 John Henry Kavanagh	Milford	27	1st	Rev. Jeremiah A. Riordan
	Margaret Madeline McDonough	Milford	19	1st	
	20 John Nicholson	Hopedale	39	2nd	Rev. Vernon H. Deming
	Carrie Arana (Adams) Chapin	Milford	34	2nd	
	20 James Belforti	Framingham	27	1st	Rev. Emilio Baretella
	Olga Belforti	Framingham	18	1st	
	21 Harry Alton Millete	Milford	21	1st	Rev. Louis Fontana
	Maria Louise DeLoia	Milford	19	1st	
	25 Harvey Louis Lavalley	Holliston	30	2nd	Rev. Louis W. West
	Hilda (Lee) Eastland	Holliston	39	2nd	
	29 Joseph Horace Macomber	Milford	32	1st	Rev. John P. Donahue
	Mary Madeline Nelligan	Milford	30	1st	
	30 George Wilfred Griffin	Milford	21	1st	Rev. J. W. Wathen
	Dorothy Sweet Raymond	New York, N. Y.	21	1st	Woonsocket, R. I.
Aug.	1 Arthur S. Davis	Boston	19	1st	Rev. George Burgess
	Elsie Gustafson	Millville	19	1st	
	4 Clarence Richmond	Chelsea	29	1st	David M. Shober, Rabbi
	Miriam Levy	Milford	23	1st	Chelsea
	5 James Bernard Smith	Medway	28	1st	Rev. Jeremiah A. Riordan
	Margaret Winifred Connor	Milford	28	1st	
	15 John Lawrence Ryan	Framingham	25	1st	Charles R. Johnson, J. P.
	Heleen Mildred Ray	Milford	25	1st	Worcester
	17 Thomas Anthony Nugent	Milford	27	1st	Rev. M. J. Lee
	Ada Ellen Newton	W. Medway	25	1st	Medway
	21 Andrea Cueroni	Milford	30	1st	Rev. Emilio Baretella
	Rose Alzerini	Milford	24	1st	

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	21 Arthur Henry Fitzgerald	Milford	26	1st	Rev. Charles F. Niles
	Muriel Christine Miller	Hopedale	19	1st	Hopedale
	24 Joseph DePasquale	Milford	31	1st	Rev. Louis Fontana
	Margaret May (Busch) Lawson	Milford	32	2nd	
	30 James Edward Birmingham	Milford	28	1st	Rev. M. J. Lee
	Alice Julia Mooney	W. Medway	28	1st	Medway
Sept.	2 Edward Cenedella	Milford	24	1st	Rev. Emilio Baretella
	Rosina Isabelle Pedroli	Milford	21	1st	
	6 Joseph Tosches	Milford	24	1st	Rev. Emilio Baretella
	Pasqualina Bebo	Milford	18	1st	
	6 Thomas John Malloy	Milford	23	1st	Rev. J. F. Heffernan
	Mary Elizabeth Cuddy	Framingham	23	1st	Framingham
	7 Donald Bernard White	Randolph	24	1st	Rev. Louis Fontana
	Elizabeth Angelina Santosuosso	Milford	24	1st	
	6 George Miller	Milford	23	1st	Jonathan Melaber, Rabbi
	Doris Sidman	Holliston	22	1st	Worcester
	6 Francis James Noyes	Milford	35	1st	Rev. Michael J. Owen
	Marian Frances Cahill	Quincy	30	1st	Quincy
	6 Mario Ciccarelli	Milford	21	1st	Rev. Emilio Baretella
	Lina Carmella Verelli	Milford	19	1st	
	9 Dennis Nargi	Milford	22	1st	Rev. Emilio Baretella
	Mary Josephine Ruggerio	Milford	23	1st	
	12 Joseph Charles Bruce	Milford	26	1st	Rev. Allen E. Cross
	Katherine Henderson Lester	Milford	25	1st	
	12 Charles Shuber	Upton	22	1st	Rev. Emilio Baretella
	Avelina G. Pettinelli	Mendon	20	1st	
	14 Pasqualina Sebastiano	Milford	22	1st	Rev. Allen E. Cross
	Alma Elnora Anderson	Milford	22	1st	
	14 Antonio Ferrante	Milford	22	1st	Rev. Louis Fontana
	Rose Testa	Milford	21	1st	
	19 Concizio Tocchio	Quincy	27	1st	Rev. Emilio Baretella
	Carmella Corpegiani	Milford	23	1st	
	19 Frances Joseph D'Antonio	Milford	25	1st	Rev. Jeremiah A. Riordan
	Elizabeth Lillian Burns	Hopedale	19	1st	
	26 Roger Cressy Oakes	Milford	28	1st	Rev. Arthur W. Warren
	Hester Elmira Spinney	Gloucester	25	1st	Gloucester
	27 Michele Maietta	Milford	28	1st	Rev. Emilio Baretella
	Maria Tosches	Milford	17	1st	
Oct.	1 William W. Hanson	Winthrop	25	1st	Rev. Allen E. Cross
	Mary Jessie Baxter	Bellingham	22	1st	
	3 Harold Linwood Henderson	Milford	32	1st	Rev. Louis W. West
	Leta Eunice Ward	Milford	26	1st	
	7 Martin Joseph Croughwell	Milford	31	1st	Rev. John P. Donahue
	Katherine Isabelle Trainor	Milford	30	1st	
	5 Charles Joseph Ferrante	Milford	25	1st	Rev. Emilio Baretella
	Emma Maria Malnati	Milford	26	1st	
	12 August John Boerger	Milford	34	2nd	Rev. Emilio Baretella
	Jenette Guidali	Milford	19	1st	
	12 Julian Paulovich	So. Boston	25	1st	Rev. John P. Donahue
	Blanche Sawiski	Milford	17	1st	Charles W. Gould
	12 Henry Waldemar Nelson	Milford	22	1st	Justice of the Peace
	Matilda Marie Macchi	Milford	16	1st	
	17 Edgar Lewis Hall	Grafton	24	1st	Rev. Harry F. Fister
	Rebecca Wareing	Grafton	25	1st	
	17 Frank Ellsworth Nutter	Milford	30	1st	Rev. Allen E. Cross
	Emma Alvira Ostrand	Milford	33	1st	
	19 Charles John Bianchi	Milford	26	1st	Rev. Emilio Baretella
	Anna Edith Zafferi	Milford	19	1st	

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19	James William Bradley	Milford	26	1st	Rev. Louis Fontana
	Rose Agnes Carini	Milford	29	1st	
20	Clarence Leroy Saunders	Mendon	32	2nd	Rev. Louis W. West
	Mabel Aurilla Payne	Mendon	20	1st	
21	Peter Charles Consoletti	Milford	24	1st	Rev. Leo T. Rock
	Mabel Catherine Cahill	Milford	21	1st	
25	Ralph Figlioli	Milford	27	1st	Rev. Emilio Baretella
	Ange'ina Helen Bellofatto	Milford	23	1st	
26	Mario Pirani	Milford	25	1st	Rev. Louis Fontana
	Edith Rose Borghi	Milford	23	1st	
5	Arthur Bethel	Milford	24	1st	Rev. Arthur Wright Franklin
	Evelyn Josephine Dunton	Wrentham	19	1st	
23	Thomas Aloysius McGovern	Milford	53	2nd	Sanford H. Acorn, J. P.
	Mary E. (Burns) Caton	Milford	43	2nd	Framingham
24	Frank Fleetwood Care	Mendon	22	1st	Rev. Joseph Belcher
	Eunice Inez Belcher	Milford	20	1st	
26	Fred Rogers Phipps	Hopedale	26	1st	Rev. Joseph Belcher
	Ernestine Walker Knox	Milford	20	1st	
Nov. 1	Myer Polstin	Milford	50	2nd	Rev. Abram Shershuwsky, Rabbi, Boston
	Dina (Cardin) Kritzman	Chelsea	43	2nd	
7	Elbert Guy Williams	Milford	23	1st	Rev. William W. Barker Woonsocket, R. I.
	Carrie J. (Burlingame) Brown	Milford	33	2nd	
7	Walter Peter Lewinsky	Milford	22	1st	Rev. J. M. Lee
	Sophie Mary Nadolny	Bellingham	21	1st	Medway
7	George Lischette	Milford	36	1st	Rev. Wm. S. Mitchell
	Appleton	Milford	18	1st	Worcester
	Ruth Georgia Ingalls	Milford	24	1st	Rev. Emilio Baretella
8	Gaetano Picrani	Milford	18	1st	
	Antonietta Estlier Prece	Milford	22	1st	Rev. Leo T. Rock
11	Henry Charles O'Neil	Concord	22	1st	
	Evelyn Augusta Ruble	Hopedale	26	1st	Rev. Joseph Belcher
12	Harold Gilbert Preshe	Upton	27	1st	
	Amy Elizabeth Usher	Medway	33	1st	Rev. Joseph M. Ghiz
15	Kalil Asa Skaff	Milford	22	1st	Worcester
	Sadie Lutfy	Milford	25	1st	Rev. Louis Fontana
21	Antonio Schiavo	Milford	18	1st	
	Antonette Tessicini	Milford	54	2nd	Rev. Joseph Belcher
21	John Henry Henderson	Hopedale	46	1st	
	Carrie Emma Daffon	Chicopee	57	3rd	Rev. Jeremiah A. Riordan
24	Thomas J. Swords	Chicopee	39	2nd	
	Margaret M. (Dunn) Gaboury	Worcester	31	1st	John Weaver Sherman J. P., Boston
25	Carl Johan Seastrom	Milford	30	1st	
	Theresa Louise O'Donnell	Milford	40	1st	Charles W. Gould Justice of the Peace
25	Peter Galli	Milford	38	2nd	
	Giuseppina L. (Caldara) Guidali	Milford	25	1st	Rev. Emilio Baretella
22	John Britta	Milford	17	1st	
	Arcangela Andreola	Milford	23	1st	Rev. M. J. Lee
25	Dialmo Angelo Bozzini	Medway	23	1st	Medway
	Anna Teresa Bergamini	Milford	23	1st	Rev. Jeremiah A. Riordan
25	Orient Joseph Cenedella	Milford	21	1st	
	Florence Bertha Tellier	Milford	25	1st	Rev. Louis Fontana
26	Alfred Richard Montani	Milford	22	1st	
	Lucia Stella DiGregory	Milford	26	1st	Rev. Thomas B. Lowney
26	William John Maroney	Marlboro	27	1st	Marlboro
	Marguerite Martha O'Connor	Holliston	35	1st	Rev. John P. Donahue
26	William Patrick O'Grady	Milford	29	1st	
	Gertrude Elenor Kirby	Milford	21	1st	Rev. Leo T. Rock
26	Lawrence Del Vecchio	Milford	23	1st	
	Grace Elenor Fairbanks	Milford			

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	26 William Wallace McGrath	Milford	23	1st	Rev. Jeremiah A. Riordan
	Lillian Margaret Ranahan	Milford	22	1st	
	26 Joseph Cornelius Collins	Milford	26	1st	Rev. Jeremiah A. Riordan
	Cheserina Louise Ambrosini	Milford	25	1st	
	26 Wilfred James Murray	Milford	25	1st	Rev. Jeremiah A. Riordan
	De ena Ambrosini	Milford	22	1st	
	26 Michael Morganelli	Milford	26	1st	Rev. Emilio Baretella
	Jennie Cannizzera	Milford	17	1st	
	26 Michele Beccia	Milford	29	1st	Rev. Emilio Baretella
	Jennie Coccoi	Milford	24	1st	
	30 Alfred Carboni	Milford	30	1st	Rev. Emilio Baretella
	Mary Catherine Tavano	Milford	19	1st	
Dec.	19 Alexander Anderson	Milford	23	1st	Rev. Arthur Wright
	Edna May Ingalls	Franklin	20	1st	Franklin
	21 Frank James Worthen	Milford	33	1st	Rev. Joseph Belcher
	Marion Irene Faulkner	Milford	28	1st	
	24 James F. Titus	Milford	76	3rd	Rev. Wm. S. Webb
	Louise H. (Andrews) Robinson	Melrose	51	2nd	Melrose
	24 Herman Elias Graves	Milford	52	2nd	Rev. Joseph Belcher
	Adeline V. (Benson) Garland	Milford	49	2nd	
	27 Dominic Daniel Malvesta	Milford	25	1st	Rev. W. T. O'Connor
	Angie Josephine Ferrazzi	W. Quincy	22	1st	Quincy
	28 Raymond Daniel Miller	Milford	24	1st	Rev. Jeremiah A. Riordan
	Margaret Ann Main	Milford	23	1st	
	29 Arthur Rand Walton	Framingham	42	1st	Rev. Harry F. Fister
	Bessie Lelia Towne	Medway	39	1st	
Jan.	17 Raymond Francis Coe	Hopedale	27	1st	Rev. John B. Holland
	Maude Evelyn Stusse	Milford	20	1st	Weymouth

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF MILFORD, 1925

Date of Death	Name of Deceased	Age		Disease or Cause of Death	Place of Birth
		M	D		
Jan.					
4	Annie A. (Fuller) Spofford	57	7	29 Arterio Sclerosis	Hartford, Me.
5	Antonio Luigi Maietta		5	10 Pernicious Anemia	Milford
6	Elroy W. Rockwood	63	10	23 Mitral Stenosis	Unknown
7	Olga Edith (Green) Tucker	29	3	19 Operation, Choletomy	Providence, R. I.
12	John McGuire	93		Broncho Pneumonia	Ireland
13	Henry Guidali	49	4	8 Lobar Pneumonia	Italy
13	Sophia (Derderian) Gulbanganian	50		Carcinoma of Bowel	Armenia
15	Adelaide M. Knight	70	7	8 Chronic Diffuse Nephritis	Milford
18	Frances (Volpicelli) Alzarini	48	7	25 Pulmonary Tuberculosis	Italy
18	John Collins	80		Carcinoma of Lip	Ireland
19	Michael Francis Lamb	63	4	15 Angina Pectoris	Augustus
20	— Mela			1 Asphyxia Neonatorum	Milford
23	Mary J. (Gilmore) Macuen	67		8 Osteo Sarcoma	New Brunswick
23	Michael H. Finn	63	5	8 Apoplexy	Milford
24	John Cullen	66	11	14 Lobar Pneumonia	Medway
26	Mary E. (West) Burlingame	67	7	23 Carcinoma of Bladder	Wrentham
25	— MacDonal			Stillborn	Milford
27	— MacDonal			1 Premature birth	Milford
29	Cora (Lyons) Gaffney	50		23 Cerebral Apoplexy	Milford
30	Bertha (Davis) Flynn	19	1	7 Puerperal Sepsis	Nova Scotia
30	George A. Drew	75	1	27 Cerebral Hemorrhage	Boston
2	Antonio Bombardino	64		Cerebral Hemorrhage	Italy
Feb.					
1	Richard Tracy DeWitt	7	2	23 Cerebral Meningitis	Milford
2	Harry Cahill	15		Coasting Accident	Milford
3	Americo DeLuca	1	10	26 Lobar Pneumonia	Milford
4	George Edward Huskins	44		Cerebral Apoplexy	Nova Scotia
7	John J. Herlihy	60		Intestinal Obstruction	Upton
8	George Henry Doe	75	6	15 Uremia, Cancer of Bladder	Cambridge
8	Elizabeth O. (Innis) McGrath	41		26 Carcinoma of Cervix	Vinal Haven, Me.
9	Ella W. (Wilson) Bullard	44	3	29 Carcinoma, Abdominal Ovarian	Spencer
10	Domenico DeSantis			1 Premature Birth	Milford
16	Raymond H. Kiley	28	2	Malignant Diphtheria	No. Brookfield
16	Edna M. (Daniels) White	58	30	Carcinoma of Liver	Uxbridge
19	Carl Everett Barry	14	9	11 Broncho Pneumonia	Auburn, Me.
21	Louisa (Barwell) Bethel	55	10	3 Valvular Disease of Heart	England
20	Mary Belle McIntosh	74	10	25 Lobar Pneumonia	Nova Scotia
20	Edward L. Smith	79		11 Senile Gangrene, right foot	Burrillville, R. I.
22	Warren Edwin White	70	10	2 Apoplexy	Watertown
23	Patrick J. Leonard	71		Carcinoma of Bladder	Germany
27	Carrie A. (Goff) Hamilton	72	3	24 Lobar Pneumonia	Richford, Vt.
27	Elizabeth Sullivan	13	10	22 Septic Endocarditis	Milford
27	Nathaniel F. Blake	78	3	29 Arterio Sclerosis	Stoughton
27	Edgar L. Whipple	56		Ulcers of Stomach	Woonsocket, R. I.
28	Miriam E. Smith	5	8	29 Scarlet Fever	Milford
14	Pietro Cristani	73	2	14 General Arterio Sclerosis	Italy
Mar.					
1	James Nolan	66	4	5 Lobar Pneumonia	Milford
1	Gino DiGenoa		7	Infantile Atrophy	Milford
1	Horace S. Aldrich	74	7	9 Broncho Pneumonia	Mendon
2	Paul Doane	59	2	6 Cerebral Apoplexy	Harwich
2	Leo P. Mainini	45	9	3 Pulmonary Tuberculosis	Gloucester
3	Nunziata Bucci	65		Automobile accident, fracture of skull	Italy

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3			Stillborn	Milford
4	Ernest A. Ackerley	65	2 Cardio Renal Disease	England
9	Maria (Sanicandro) Celozzi	55	Valvular Heart Disease	Italy
10	Melancy L. (Darling) Day	94 11 8	Arterio Sclerosis	Sutton
11	Carl A. Ostrand	67 5 9	Removal of Prostate Gland	Sweden
12	Alfonse Iadarola	7 15	Acute Lobar Pneumonia	Milford
13	Pasquale Santoro	65 6 9	Cerebral Apoplexy	Italy
14	George Cronb	20	Inanition	Milford
16	Dorothy Duggan	11 5	Acute Endocarditis	Milford
17	Ellen J. (Slater) Young	11 5	Nephritis	Fall River
15	Irwin N. Ide	71 3 17	Acute Nephritis	So. Warren, Pa.
21	Maria A. Fallstorm	79 11	Arterio Sclerosis	Sweden
21	Frances Scioli	7 3	Accidental burns	Milford
24	Henry Ulric LeBeau	54 10 11	Cerebral Apoplexy	Westboro
24	Alfonso Oliveri	9 5 4	Infective Endocarditis	Gallatin, Pa.
26	Michele Abbiusso	14 3 15	Acute Brights Disease	Milford
28	Frances A. (Lane) Hall	79 8 27	Chronic Myocarditis	Oxford, Me.
28	Barbara Whitney	1	Infantile Debility	Milford
29	Thomas H. Glennon	50	Carcinoma of Stomach	Milford
30	Robert Charles Saunders	3	Icterus Neonatorum	Milford
30	Alfred Tomasini	1 3 20	Accidental Burns	Milford
30	Sarah P. (Pond) Cox	83 7 17	Broncho Pneumonia	W. Medway
28	Helen C. (Buxton) Whipple	76 8 27	Cerebral Apoplexy	Woonsocket, R. I.
5	Luva A. (Celley) Sprague	62 10 27	Chronic Myocarditis	Milford
Apr. 1	Marshall C. Murray	53 8 9	Tabes Dorsalis	Canada
1	Elizabeth Anderson	55 12	Cellulitis of Neck	Finland
2	Margaret M. (Glennon) Fitzgerald	78 8	Carcinoma Of Right Lung	Ireland
3	Margaret (Walsh) Dwyer	70	Carcinoma of Liver	Ireland
4	Willis B. Temple	70 11 3	Myocarditis	Marlboro
5	Alfred G. Mancini	1	Broncho Pneumonia	Milford
5			Stillborn	Milford
10	Filomena Biscotti	2	7 Accidental burns	Franklin
9	Emily A. (Rice) Eldredge	86 4 8	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Northbridge
9	William Mancini	1 9 3	Tubercular Meningitis	Milford
10	Antonetta (Guerrieri) Luchini	51	Obstruction of Colon	Italy
10	Rita Tieuli	1 5 19	Cerebral Meningitis	Brockton
12	Flavie (Dupree) Thibodeau	64	Lobar Pneumonia	Van Buren, Me.
19	Alice G. Brooks	10 1	Lobar Pneumonia	Milford
21	Catherine (Boland) Delmar	62	Lobar Pneumonia	Milford
22	Henry J. Holland	27 11 17	Valvular Heart Disease	Milford
23	Albina (Felloni) Ramelli	45	Multiple Cysts of Kidneys	Italy
24			Stillborn	Milford
24	Annie F. (Murphy) Burke	78	Myocarditis	Ireland
24	Mary Elizabeth Kennelly	16 4 16	Broncho Pneumonia	Milford
24	Concetta Caruso	1 11 18	Measles	Milford
25	Mary E. (Quinn) Slavin	74	Cerebral Apoplexy	Milford
25	Carmina Tosches	1 30	Broncho Pneumonia	Milford
28	Ellen Lucinda (Batchelder) Taylor	85 2 7	Cellulites of Legs	Holliston
19	Nellie F. (Birch) Ellis	46 4 28	Removal of Uterus	Milford
23	Bridget (Savage) Shine	92	Carcinoma of Breast	Ireland
16	David Crowley	56 2 14	Arterio Sclerosis	Ireland
May 1	Mary Vaughn	86	Broncho Pneumonia	Ireland
1	Denton Webster	2 3 5	Tetanus	Milford
3	Giuseppe DiVitto	4	Measles	Milford
3	Fannie (Miller) Pressman	45	Fatty Degeneration of Heart	Russia

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	8 Virginia Clara Tumolo	1			Measles	Milford
	6 Palmira Perierri	10	3		Broncho Pneumonia	Milford
	10 Charlotte Scott	58			Odeno Carcinoma	Ireland
	10 Helen Curran	1	8		Unknown	Milford
	11 Gaetano Bonino	1	3		Broncho Pneumonia	Milford
	12 James W. Sullivan	35	2		Broncho Pneumonia	Hyde Park
	12				Stillborn	Milford
	12 Robert Fleming		13		Premature Birth	Milford
	12 Joseph Sirocco	50			Lobar Pneumonia	Italy
	13 James S. Mullane	70	8	6	Cerebral Apoplexy	Baltic, Conn.
	14 Teofila Kaczinski	72			Mitral Stenosis	Poland
	14 Anna G. (Woodbury) Holmes	73	7	26	Carcinoma of Gall Bladder	Southboro
	14				Stillborn	Milford
	15 Maria Carmina Iacovelli	56			Myocarditis	Italy
	18 Arakel Googasian	50	1		Broncho Pneumonia	Armenia
	19 Frederick J. Reynolds	49			Strangulated Hernia	Milford
	20 Giuseppe Macchi	63			Carcinoma of Lung	Italy
	21 George M. Feeley	56	1	1	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Holliston
	21 Jacob Herman Stusse	54	19		Carcinoma Cola	Newark, N. J.
	22 Maria Orlanda Brunetti		9		Measles	Hopedale
	22 Maria Flocca	65			Senility	Italy
	23				Stillborn	Milford
	25 Mary (McNamara) Antrobus	59	6	16	Inanition	England
	25 Lucy M. Clark	81	3		Cerebral Apoplexy	Milford
	28 Halbert L. Keith	65	1	21	Pulmonary Embolism	Barnard, Vt.
	30 Lewis Hayden	76	2	15	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Saxonville
June	1 Madeline Ida Day	18	5		Automobile accident, Fracture of Skull	Taunton
	1 Caroline E. Rhodes	79	3	21	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Lynn
	7 Louis A. Ward	55			Myocarditis	Milford
	7 Giuseppe Bonini	1	3	20	Empyema	Milford
	8 Josephine Olgiati	15			Automobile accident, Fracture of Skull	Montpelier, Vt.
	9 Mary L. (Norton) Damon	51	6	23	Cancer of Liver	Colrain
	12 Raymond Yates	1	2		Tubercular Meningitis	Providence, R. I.
	14 Archie Robinson	48	3	14	Diabetes Mellitus	Nova Scotia
	14 Leunill A. DeGray		1		Premature Birth	Milford
	14 Solomon Smith, Jr.		2		Haematemesis	Milford
	15 Alfred Collette	2	4		Measles	Worcester
	17 Leonardo Longo	57			Cardiac Renal Disease	Italy
	18 Nicola Lanzetta	47			Pulmonary Tuberculosis	Italy
	20 Margaret A. (Burke) Casey	73			Bronchial Asthma	Maryland
	22 Pasquale Mancini	57			Lobar Pneumonia	Italy
	22 Philander P. Tourtelott	76	7	17	Gangrene of Toe	Blackstone
	24 Myrtle N. (Bemis) Berry	40	1	9	Cancer of Cervix Uteri	No. Shapleigh, Me.
	26 Jane Ann (Dunleavy) Clancy	66			Cerebral Apoplexy	Ireland
	24				Stillborn	Milford
	27 John Strapponi	40			Shock following operation for Fusion of Spine	Italy
	27 Giovannina (Fratta) Laurelli	51			Renal Tuberculosis	Italy
	15 Edgar P. Willard	77	3	11	General Arterio Sclerosis	Vermont
July	2 Charles Hickey		9		Premature Birth	Milford
	2 Nellie Brown	45			Lobar Pneumonia	New Brunswick
	4 Norma Ida Colianni	11	10		Broncho Pneumonia	Milford
	4 Thomas Hilferty	36	8	27	Automobile accident, Fracture of Skull	Avon

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	5			Stillborn	Milford
	5	71	8 21	Chronic Diffuse Nephritis	Bellingham
	11				
	Elizabeth N. (Stores) Johnson	82	9 9	Arterio Sclerosis	Waldoboro, Me.
	12			Disease of Heart	Milford
	14	62		Stillborn	Milford
	15	70	5 13	Carcinoma Prostate	Nova Scotia
	16	8	2 16	Accidental drowning	Southbridge
	16	17	1 6	Accidental drowning	Milford
	17	10	28	Acute Nephritis	Franklin
	18	65		Hypostatic Pneumonia	W. Boylston
	18		25	Premature birth	Milford
	19	11	1	General Septicemia	Milford
	22	57		Acute Pericarditis	Milford
	23	63		Accidental explosion of still	Lithuania
	26				
	Katherine M. (Norton) Savage	70	8 19	Diabetes	Hopkinton
	26	58		Arterio Sclerosis	Providence, R. I.
	26	17	9 17	Motorcycle accident, Fracture of Skull	Leicester
	27	53		Chronic Valvular Disease	Albany, N. Y.
	29	84	3 23	Cardiac Dilatation	Freeport, Me.
Aug.					
	4	72	2 7	Myocarditis	England
	8	37	4 26	Tubercular Meningitis	Italy
	10	65	2 2	Abscess of Lung	Medway
	11				
	Sarah L. (Barroughs) Usher	37	4 26	Intestinal Obstruction	E. Gr'nwich, Conn.
	13	30	5 25	Pulmonary Tuberculosis	Milford
	15	58	2 1	Pernicious Anemia	Milford
	16	55	6 14	Valvular Heart Disease	Sweden
	16		1	Valvular Heart Disease	Milford
	17	28	11 22	Automobile accident, Fracture of Skull	Waltham
	17		4 13	Whooping Cough	Milford
	18	53		Carcinoma Larynx	Ireland
	20	34	11 21	Intestinal Obstruction	Milford
	20		1	Imperfect Hear Development	Milford
	23	71	11 2	General Peritonitis	Medway
	21	59		Chronic Nephritis	Augusta, Me.
	24	65		Intestinal Obstruction	Boston
	24	42		Decapitation, motor truck accident	Portugal
	25	36		Automobile accident, Fracture of Skull	Portugal
	25		25	Premature Birth	Milford
	26	67		Carbuncle of Bettox	Madison, Wis.
	28	29	1 29	Septicaemia	Finland
	31	26		Septicaemia	Medway
Sept.					
	4	65	11 1	Valvular Heart Disease	Hardwick, Vt.
	5	51	10	Carcinoma of Uterus	Nashua, N. H.
	11				
	Isabelle F. (Dean) Mitchell	76	6 22	Cancer of Liver	Taunton
	11			Stillborn	Milford
	12	75		Valvular Disease of Heart	Ireland
	12		2	Injury to Head	Milford
	13	68	4 26	Cancer of Stomach	England
	13	80	1	Suicide, cutting throat	N. Smithfield, R. I.
	16	74	9	Apoplexy	Milford
	16	78		Carcinoma Abdominal	Ireland
	23	73		Sudden Death	Canada

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24			Stillborn	Milford
27	Willard Prentice Leland	69	2 Acute Broncho Pneumonia	Boston
29			Stillborn	Milford
26	Lawrence Tarca		Septicaemia	Milford
Oct. 1	Henry T. Griffin	63	Pulmonary Oedema	Milford
1			Stillborn	Milford
3			Stillborn	Milford
4	Peter Realini	55	Suicide, drowning	Italy
8	Andrew McNamara	77	Disease of Heart	Ireland
12	Ellen (Gorman) Flanigan	78	Chronic Inflammation of Gall Bladder	Ireland
14	Nunziata (Calaberardi) DeMeo	52	6 Cerebral Apoplexy	Italy
14	Louis F. Newcomb	55	6 27 Lobar Pneumonia	Nova Scotia
15	David Gagnon	46	Electric car accident, Fracture of Skull	Nashua, N. H.
17	Bryan Manion	75	2 15 Senile Gangrene of Foot	Milford
19			Stillborn	Milford
19			Stillborn	Milford
15	Nicola Costantino	14	6 Valvular Heart Disease	Milford
21	Mary L. (Phillips) Clouart	24	Pulmonary Tuberculosis	Milford
28	Paul Laurelli	52	Accident, hand crushed in elevator, Septic Pneumonia	Italy
28	George F. Pyne	57	3 7 Sturium Chronic Nephritis	Bellingham
29	Carmine DeTore	9	Accident, struck by auto- mobile truck, Fracture of Skull	Milford
29			Stillborn	Milford
31	Samuel N. Fiske	4	11 Accidental burns, Shock	Franklin
Nov. 1	Luigi Iacovelli	55	Diabetes Mellitis	Italy
1	Kate M. (Collins) Thayer	71	6 23 Acute Broncho Pneumonia	Boston
1	John Jablonski	37	Broncho Pneumonia	Poland
3	Elizabeth Delaney	67	Tuberculosis of Spine	Milford
5	Charles W. Wright	76	8 12 Arterio Sclerosis	Medway
6	Hannah T. (Barry) Gilmore	78	2 28 Cardio Renal Disease	St. John, N. B.
7	William E. Cunningham	58	8 Chronic Nephritis	Milford
9	Charlotte M. (Honey) Bird	54	5 19 Myocarditis	Milford
9	John B. Sheehan	55	Accident, fall from truck	Concord
11	Martha (McVeigh) Bailey	35	3 Extreme Senility	Ireland
9	Isabelle S. (McLaughlin) Ford	85	12 Extreme Senility	Duxbury
13	Noah S. Blethen	56	5 22 Heart Disease	Frankfort, Me.
17	Ralph Diana		21 Premature Birth	Milford
21	Anna (Murphy) Rock	72	Cerebral Arterio Sclerosis	Watertown, N. Y.
22			Stillborn	Milford
23	Mary C. O'Connell	30	Scarlet Fever	Ashland
24	Flora R. (Staples) Phillips	55	9 9 Lobar Pneumonia	Mendon
25	Robinson		1 Cerebral Hemorrhage	Milford
25	Carl L. Mattson	60	5 21 Diabetes	Sweden
27	Samuel Cole	65	2 16 Chronic Myocarditis	Uxbridge
28	Marie Baker	7	10 10 Toxemia, Exhaustion	Milford
29	Carolina M. Maffioli	2	7 13 Broncho Pneumonia	Framingham
29	Harold Castiglioni		8 13 Broncho Pneumonia	Milford
30	William Francis O'Donnell		4 Broncho Pneumonia	Milford
30	Bertha Elizabeth Bailey		3 Premature birth	Milford
30	Maria Pomponio	1	1 6 Rickets, Acute Bronchitis	Milford

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	24 Martha M. Saunders	84	6	27	Myocarditis Mystic, Conn.
	21 Sewell B. Holbrook	77	11	24	Chronic Valvular Disease Upton
Dec.	1 Thomas Graven	81	10	10	Arterio Schlerosis Ireland
	2 Svengustav Sellegren	59	2	3	Pulmonary Tuberculosis Sweden
	3 Millie (Lane) Shackleton	39	4		Accidental drowning England
	12 Alvin D. Chaplin	64		13	Carcinoma of Liver Maine
	12 Regina (Morelli) Benedeto	27			Pulmonary Tuberculosis Italy
	16 Alvarado H. Smith	78	8	14	Cerebral Hemorrhage Hopkinton
	16 Ruth E. West	8	8	13	Enteritis Isleboro, Me.
	17 Charles Ashley Felton	20	9	16	Septicaemia Milford
	17 Robert M. Larkin	2		11	Pulmonary Oedema Milford
	17 John J. Thomas	38	3	8	General Paralysis Newton
	16 Annie Lutfy	18		18	Pulmonary Tuberculosis Worcester
	21 Mary T. (O'Brien) McDermott	73	6	11	Pernicious Anaemia Milford
	23 Margaret F. (McNamara) Collins	53	8	22	Disease of Heart No. Brookfield
	31 Annie (Mahar) McDermott	48			Cancer of Uterus Ireland
	29 Pauline Cervone	24			Pulmonary Tuberculosis Milford

Respectfully submitted,

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Town Clerk.

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